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Ice Carnival Successful Event

With an attendance of well over 400 the Ice Carnival at the arena rink Wednesday night proved a wonderful success. The weather was ideal for the event, which was sponsored by the Ladies' Guild of the United Church. Many of the costumes were outstanding, and the judges who were Mrs. F. H. Reed, Mrs. J. S. McCormick and Mrs. L. S. Walker selected the prize-winners as follows:

12 Year and under.
Best girl's fancy costume—1 Joanne Corwin; 2 Jessie Teare.
Best girl's comic costume—1 Ethel Frizell; 2 Jean Crickabank.
Best boy's fancy costume—1 Billy Laughlin; 2 Bobby Laughlin.
Best boy's comic costume—1 Bobby Laird; 2 Billy Marley.
Best couple—Barbara Hay and Helen Haas.
All Over 12 Years.
Best dressed couple (fancy)—Kathleen Hay and Mary Jackson.
Best dressed couple (comic)—Jean Reeves and Tom Caruthers.
Best lady's fancy costume—Eileen Sheets.
Best lady's comic costume—Jeanne Hunter.
Best gentleman's fancy costume—Charles Reed.
Best gentleman's comic costume—Stan Wilson.

Races.
Girls, 7 years and under—Jessie Teare.
Girls, 8 and 9 years—Gertrude Teare.
Girls, 10 and 11 years—Jeannie Jones.
Boys, 7 years and under—Teddie Lavery.
Boys, 8 and 9 years—Bobby Laughlin.
Boys, 10 and 11 years—Bobby Chapman.
Girls, 12 and 13 years—Eleanor Trot.
Girls, 14 and over—Doris Danner.
Boys, 12 and 13 years—Gordon Graham.
Boys, 14 and over—R. MacGregor.
Couple—Doris Danner and Billy Brooks.
The Ladies Guild wish to thank the business men who kindly contributed the prizes.

Letters to the Editor

PROGRESSIVE LOCAL U. F. W. A.
No. 234

Editor, The Western Globe: May I beg some of your readers to give an account of a few of the activities of the above U. F. W. A. local during the past year?

The local finished the year with approximately \$100.00 in the treasury. Their turnover during the year was more than \$350.00. Out of this amount they paid the expenses of both a men and women delegate to the U. F. W. A. Convention last January. They also sent two ladies to Oids for a week in the summer to the "Short Course" and received donations were sent to the Salvation Army, Sunshine, Prohibition League, Red Cross Society, and the U. F. A. Broadcasting Fund. Those benevolent in our district received wreaths in memory of their loved ones, as has always been the custom of the U. F. A. and U. F. W. A. During the summer there were two picnics at Gull Lake—with treats for the children. The annual camp was not held last year on account of the sudden death of one of our members.

In June the ladies invited three other locals to an afternoon in Spruceville Hall to meet the U. F. A. Director for the Wetaskiwin Constituency. Mrs. H. F. Morgan. About 60 ladies were present and enjoyed an afternoon made up of musical items, the Director's speech, and a discussion on Social Credit, finishing up with lunch and ice-cream.

The ladies organized various card parties and dances—functions which gave the whole community pleasure. The U. F. W. A. have supplied lunch at all the dances at Spruceville Hall except one held during the last year, using the money obtained in some instances to buy necessities for articles for the Hall. They also took an interest in the very good debate put on by the Junior Organization, helping with the program and putting on the lunch.

There have been afternoon meetings every month, one summer meeting being held at Gull Lake, also three or four joint evening meetings with the men of the U. F. A. Many topics have been discussed, Education, Peace, Agriculture, Horticulture, Social Credit, Economics, U. F. A. Convention Reports, and other subjects of vital interest to every farm woman.

Although the U. F. W. A. is by no means primarily a political organization, this being an election year, politics had of necessity to take a prominent part in our deliberations. The activities of the various members of Parliament, both Federal and Provincial were investigated, besides studying proposed legislation. Delegates from this local attended all the conventions called, and took a lively interest in the proceedings. Our roll call is an ever current or general interest to give examples, "Ideas for the furtherance of Peace," "How best to foster the Community Spirit in the winter months." Why I should use my vote.

Of course the Chicken Supper must

Temperatures

(Lacombe Exp. Station)		Max.	Min.
Jan. 16	.....	-2	-17
17	.....	-2	-16
18	.....	8	-14
19	.....	1	-23
20	.....	21	-10
21	.....	37	5
22	.....	38	29

Local Hockey Team Grab Two Wins and Qualify for Play-Offs

Playing with great determination the local pucksters won games from Innisfail and Camrose and finished in third place to qualify in the play offs. Against Innisfail last Thursday night the locals took an early lead through McGregor only to see Hall put Innisfail on even terms before the first period ended. In the second period Lacombe took command of the game and Gostigan scored the only goal on Penman's pass even though Wade the Innisfail goalie was defending his fort in wonderful style. Gostigan from Penman was responsible for the only counter in the third session. These two players were the standouts of the game with their brilliant combination play and stick handling. Traveling to Camrose for their last game Saturday the local team fought an uphill battle from the start as Camrose scored right from (Continued on back page)

RIMBEY PIONEER LAID TO REST

Another of Rimbeys pioneer and greatly respected citizens was laid to rest on January 20th, when funeral services for the late Thomas Willis Chiles were held in the United church at Rimby and interment made in the family plot at Mt. Auburn cemetery. The deceased came to Rimby in 1913 and purchased farm land north of town. With the exception of three years residence in the village, he continued to live on his farm until admitted to St. Paul's hospital, Rimby. He passed away on Jan. 18 at the age of 68. He is survived by four sons, Glenn, Elwood and Lloyd of Rimby and Quincy of Englewood, California, and by nine grandchildren. His wife, Eva Adams Chiles, died in 1924.

LEAVES FOR THE EAST
John Thompson, a son of the local pioneer, left for the U. F. W. A. Convention in Lacombe, has secured a position with a large Eastern cattle buyer, G. Chase, of Nova Scotia. On his trip East Jack was in charge of a carload of Alberta purebred cattle shipped from Calgary.

Around The Town

Miss Burnett had her class out sleighing on Saturday night. Although the weather was at sub-zero all enjoyed themselves.

Art Dwan will start cutting ice on about 10 days at Barnett Lake.

Attention of those who take advantage of the Library is called to the hours during which books may be secured. Saturdays 3 to 5 p.m. and 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. Wednesdays 3 to 5 p.m.

Mrs. P. C. Owen entertained at four tables of bridge Tuesday evening.

Mrs. H. T. Laughlin, with her daughter, Mrs. H. Foster of the local, spent the week end in Calgary with her sister, Mrs. A. R. Riley. During their stay they motored to Banff to witness the skiing.

Corporal B. Warrior, R.C.M.P., Coronation was a visitor to Lacombe on Wednesday.

Mrs. C. M. Graham spent the week end in Calgary.

Claude Halpin was re-admitted to the Lacombe hospital Monday to undergo an operation.

Mrs. Landon and son Harold motored with friends to Camrose to attend the hockey game.

Mrs. Caruthers entertained the Blood and Thunder Club Monday night.

Tom Lorimer's rink, comprising Dave Hay, W. J. Taylor and Jack Danner of Bentley, are attending the Calgary Bantam this week, and some of the overtime may land in Lacombe.

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KING GEORGE V
WHOSE BRILLIANT REIGN WON HIM THE ADMIRATION OF THE ENTIRE WORLD

Unrestricted Patronage Will Not Be Practiced By Social Credit Govt.

Magnet Lodge Installs Officers

Magnet Lodge No. 12, I. O. O. F. held their annual installation of officers on Monday evening, Jan. 20, Ray Saunders D. P. of Dis. No. 20, and staff conducting the ceremonies. The following officers were installed: J. P. G. F. Buch, N. G. Watt, K. H. A. Buch, Sec'y; C. E. Todd, Treas.; R. Saunders; R. S. N. G. Walter, L. S. N. G. R. H. B. G. Cond. W. Swanson; Warden, Geo. Therault; Chaplain, John Gram; J. S. V. G. A. E. Matson; L. S. V. G. E. Haglund; I. G. K. Fystro; O. G. F. Walker; R. S. S. G. Carlson; L. S. S. O. Korsgar. Refreshments were served following the meeting.

DENIAL GIVEN TO STATEMENT IT FAVORS PATRONAGE MORE THAN PREVIOUS ADMINISTRATION.

(By T. B. WINDROSS)
EDMONTON, Jan. 20.—Another point of difficulty has been passed safely by the Alberta government. The bond issue falling due has been met by the aid of the federal government and the danger of default has been turned aside. Hon. C. A. Dunning, federal minister of finance, agreed to the loan that was needed to carry the province over another million and furnished the \$1,577,000 required to ward the \$2,000,000, the remaining \$423,000 being provided by the province out of the sinking fund which covered the bond issue itself. The next bond issue to be met falls due in April and plans have not yet been made for that. The issue falling due then amounts to \$3,200,000. The third large issue to fall due this year is a payment of \$2,250,000, which will face the government on November 1.

Hon. C. A. Dunning is reported to have said in Ottawa that no strings were attached to the loan to Alberta. This bears out Premier Abernethy's firm statement during the week that his government would "never agree to any loan which would infringe on the province's autonomous rights in matters of finance."

The exact terms of the loan will probably be revealed during the present week. It is safe to assume, however, that the provincial government has not agreed to surrender any of its constitutional rights in exchange for this financial help.

A three months' hiatus on the ban on liquor advertising in the newspapers of the province has been announced by the provincial government. A delegation from the Alberta Weekly Newspapers' Association waited on Hon. J. W. Huggill Friday and secured this assurance from the minister. Application of the ban will not take place now until May 1.

Some indication that the government will not leave the publishers without compensation was also given, and it was hinted that through printing orders from the government business may be added to the newspapers that will in part at least make up for the loss through the ban on liquor advertising.

An interesting piece of news was released during the week concerning (Continued on Page Four)

Spruceville

At the last afternoon meeting of the U. F. W. A. several plans were made for future entertainment, one being a social evening for the community and a leap year dance, to be held on the 28th of February in the hall.

Mrs. A. T. Walker of Lamont, Alta. is visiting with her sister, Mrs. D. W. H. Vreeland, Green, B. C. Mr. and Mrs. Heala left for Edmonton on Monday to attend the U. F. A. and U. F. W. A. convention, both being seated as delegates from Progressive local.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal entertained a few friends at their home Wednesday evening.

The executives of the U. F. A., U. F. W. A. and Juniors met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Boden on Tuesday and arranged a very interesting program for the next few months.

Empire Mourns Death of King George the Fifth

Death of beloved monarch whose courage during the war and depression years won him admiration of his subjects.

LONDON, Jan. 21. — His Majesty the King died at Sandringham Castle late Monday.

A bulletin by the King's physicians said: "Death came peacefully to the King at 11:55 p.m. last night in the presence of Her Majesty, the Queen, the Prince of Wales, the Duke of York, the Princess Royal, the Duke and Duchess of Kent."

It was signed "Williams, Hewett and Dawson."

Almost precisely at midnight the lowering of the flag that fluttered above Sandringham house gave mute announcement of the end.

It was only Friday afternoon that the public learned the King was confined to his room with a cold. A first bulletin issued on the King's condition then disclosed he had suffered an attack of bronchial catarrh, accompanied by heart weakness.

His strength slowly ebbed and his heart action slowed down. The King died peacefully without pain.

Proclamation

Section 155, T. & V. Act.

I, Edwin H. Jones, Mayor of the Town of Lacombe, by virtue of power in me vested, do hereby proclaim Tuesday, the 28th day of January, 1936, to be a civic holiday and observed as a day of mourning out of respect for our late beloved Sovereign, His Majesty King George V.

Given under my hand this 22nd day of January, 1936, at Lacombe, Alberta.

EDWIN H. JONES, Mayor.

Central Alberta Wool Growers Association Hold Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Central Alberta Wool Growers Association was held in the Town Hall on Saturday, Jan. 18, with twenty members present. The minutes of the last general meeting, and the financial report were approved. The secretary reviewed the year's work and made some suggestions for the coming year. Comparisons between the last two years operations.

The President, P. Jamieson, addressed the meeting and gave a resume of the attempt to establish a woolen mill by certain promoters, which fell through lack of support. Resolutions regarding the wool rates and upsets prices for ram sales were discussed, and later dealt with at a directors meeting when it was decided the minimum price for rams entering the Alberta market be \$10.

Endorsement was given to a resolution requesting a bounty on coyotes and uncontrolled dogs, which had been submitted to the Alberta Government, as they were a menace to the sheep industry.

Bob Lindsay gave an interesting report on his fall and winter pasture. S. G. Freeman addressed the meeting and reviewed his efforts to have a full time Federal Field man appointed for Alberta, and commented on the ram bonus policy which he felt was not perfect. John Wilson, Jr., director of the Can. Co-op. Wool Growers Ltd., reported on the progress of the feeding of the domestic flock, and stressing rape as a paying proposition for a small flock.

W. Henderson gave a talk on the balancing of rations for feeding feed lot lambs. The election of P. Jamieson, H. E. Reed and Geo. H. Hand as directors took place.

JUNIORS DEFEAT MIRROR 6-1

The Junior White Wings were too much for the visiting Mirror Junior team Saturday night and easily defeated them 6-1. Visitors only managed to score, during the dying seconds of the game, when the defence was caught wide open allowing a two man rush right on the goal. The White Wings, a free for all took place early in the second period when Cliff lost his temper after being heavily bodied and crossed by one of the opposing players. The two were sent to the cooler and play continued quite clear for the remainder of the game.

Cliff and Cliff scored the game with five points each, the former getting goals and the latter assists. Hoppus and Eisner scored the other two goals with assists from Perkins and T. Walton. Eisner was easily the outstanding player for the visitors and Ken Brosh, playing his second game of the season in the nets, deserved a shout.

Lineup.
Mirror: Thomas, T. Walton, O. Vreeland, Eisner, Devereaux, R. W. H. Vreeland, Green, Bell, Lacombe, K. Brosh, Jones, Carter, Frizell, Myles, Cliff, Hoppus, Perkins, Roberts, Brooks.

First Defeat of Season.
The White Wings journeyed to Bentley Monday night and received their first defeat of the season from the older and heavier senior team. The score being 3-0. Will Thorpe handled the game quite efficiently, handing out 14 penalties.

The White Wings will play St. Peter's Red Wings here tonight (Thursday) at 8:30.

Chigwell

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Chiswell, Margaret and Dorothy, visited Sunday at the home of L. B.'s brother George.

Mrs. Omar Norris is confined to her home on account of sickness.

Mrs. Len Scaville's sister from Lamont, Alta., spent the week end with Mrs. Scaville, returning to town on Monday to visit her mother, Mrs. Gale, Sr.

Clifford Clark of College Heights spent the week end with his grandmother, Mrs. Handlett.

Mr. Nicol Grey has completed moving his house from town and it is being renovated for occupancy in the spring.

Miss Perry Forrest has as her guest for a few days, Miss Neoma Reiter.

Mrs. W. Inault is confined to her home on account of sickness.

REGULAR MEETING OF W.M.S.
To finish up the state of officers, Mrs. U. E. Reeves was named president, Mrs. W. C. Sweet, treasurer, and Mrs. R. B. Layton, C.G.T. Intermediary, and installation of officers conducted by Rev. R. B. Layton at the regular meeting of the W.M.S. on Tuesday afternoon at the Manse. Reports showed both supply and financial allocation met, in addition to which some money was raised for the local church and children distributed locally.

Pioneer of Lacombe District Passes Away

Mr. William Henry Wilkins of Lacombe, Alta., passed away at the home of his daughter Mrs. H. F. Morgan Tuesday, January 21 at the age of 87 years. He was a pioneer of the district having resided here since 1901. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. L. W. Greenlee of Vulcan, Alta., and Mrs. H. F. Morgan of Clive, Alta.; two sons, Lewis of Perry Vale, Alta. and Bruce of Lacombe; one brother Richard of Port Burwell, Ont.

Curling

The rink skipped by W. Sage and H. Teare made a good showing at the Red Deer Bantam against strong competition. Sage's team secured third prize in the Bantam trophy and Teare fourth prize in the Hotel-Keepers' competition.

Grain and Livestock Prices

Hogs	.....	\$7.10	Bacon
Cattle	.....	
Market half	.....	lower	at
Calgary.	.....	
Choice Steers	.....	\$4.00 to \$4.50	
Heifers	.....	\$2.50 to \$3.00	
Best cows	.....	\$1.50 to \$2.00	
Calves	.....	\$3.00 to \$4.00	
Horses	.....	\$5.00 to \$10.00	
Lambs	.....	
Choice	.....	\$6.00	
Fort William opening spot prices	.....	
Thursday, Jan. 23.	.....	
Wheat	.....	
No. 1 Northern	.....	84%	
No. 2 Northern	.....	82%	
No. 3 Northern	.....	78%	
No. 4 Northern	.....	74%	
No. 5 Northern	.....	67%	
No. 6 Northern	.....	59%	
Oats	.....	
2 C.W.	.....	34%	
3 C.W.	.....	29%	
Extra Feed	.....	26%	
No. 1	.....	26%	
No. 2	.....	25%	
No. 3	.....	23%	

The Sayings of Poor Richard

A HOUSE WITHOUT WOMAN
AND FIRELIGHT IS
LIKE A BODY WITHOUT
SOUL OR SPIRIT.

WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

The American Red Cross receives \$3,482,538 from the estate of Mrs. Clara A. Haggood Higginson Smith, whose gross estate was appraised at \$4,928,804.

The city of Quetta, destroyed by earthquake last May, will be rebuilt on the same site as far as possible, the Indian government announced. The cost is estimated at \$50,000,000.

The name of the Manchester Babies' hospital has been changed, with the consent of the Duchess of York, to the Duchess of York Hospital for Babies.

A proposed French budget for 1936 of 40,000,000,000 francs (about \$2,600,000,000) providing heavy expenditures for the French army and navy had the approval of the senate.

William Tate of Sherman, Texas, is looking for a thief who should be well fixed for stormy weather. Someone made off with the farmer's storm cellar, leaving nothing but a hole.

Eastern Canada is taking an interest in Vancouver's diamond jubilee celebration next year, too. The city council is informed eastern business leaders will contribute more than \$50,000 to the expenses.

Highway traffic in England has increased by close to 50 per cent. in five years, the British Automobile Association said after a survey conducted for seven days at important centres.

Speaker Joseph Byrnes of the U.S. house of representatives, said he would support proposals in congress for a stronger air force, an Alaskan aviation base and strengthened fortifications for Hawaii.

The 400 Indians and 200 white trappers operating in the Port Arthur district will have quite a neat egg next spring. To Dec. 28, the value of their catch was \$50,000, to which is added \$4,500 in government bounties.

The Halifax Chronicle celebrated its 112th birthday recently. On Dec. 29, 1824, "The Nova Scotian" was first printed with Joseph Howe its editor and publisher. The name was changed to "The Morning Chronicle" in 1844.

Canada's First Railroad

Centenary Will Be Celebrated In July Of This Year

Canada is shortly to celebrate yet another centenary, that of the opening of the first railroad in the Dominion. It covered 16 miles and bore the dignified title of the Champlain St. Lawrence Railroad. A charter for the construction of the line was granted in 1832, and the work began three years later. Opened by Lord Gosport on July 21st, 1836, the line provided portage between the river ports of Laprairie, on the St. Lawrence, and St. Johns, on the Richelieu. The rails were of wood with flat, thin bars of iron spiked on. At first the cars were drawn by horses, but in 1837 the owners brought an engine—which they called "Kittie"—and an engine-driver from England, and a speed of 20 miles an hour was achieved. Later, further railroad construction was undertaken, and now the Dominion has one of the most extensive railway systems in the world. —Empire Review, London.

Kept Outside City Limits

King Avoided Ceremony By Not Going Through London

The London press missed a good story recently, when the King attended the state opening of Parliament . . . and then left for his Sandringham country estate. The King left Buckingham Palace and went to Charing Cross Station—instead of Liverpool Street, the usual entraining spot. He did so to avoid passing through the city of London boundaries. In this way he avoided the traditional ceremony wherein the Lord Mayor meets the ruler at the city boundary and gives him formal permission to enter. The King may not enter London without permission first granted from the Mayor of that city.

Want Woman In Cabinet

A woman cabinet member in the newly-elected Alberta Social Credit government and appointment of a woman police magistrate, in addition to a demand for women representatives on all government bodies, were objectives of the Council of Women in Canada, approved at a meeting in Edmonton.

Ninety statues under the care of the office of works in London require the constant attention of six men to look after them.

PRINTING PRESSES
FOR SALE

One Pony Optimus Cylinder Press, one 10x16 and one 12x18 Chandler & Price Gordon Press. Also 26-inch Guillotine Paper Cutter and one Linotype machine. All in excellent condition. Apply Box 336, Regina, Sask.

New Cunard White Star Liner

"Queen Mary" Has Novel Illumination Never Before Seen On Any Vessel

The Cunard White Star liner "Queen Mary" will be the greatest "daylight" ship to take the seas, and will possess novel illumination schemes which have never before been incorporated in any vessel afloat.

At night the elaborate flood-lighting will transform the liner into a palace of colour, leaving a brilliant golden trail behind her as she glides swiftly across the dark seas.

But one of the principal features is the extensive use of glass throughout the ship. Natural lighting is the keynote of the passenger accommodation lounges and dining-rooms. The promenade deck is almost encased in glass which will stand any weather.

In the hull alone 2,500 square feet of glass has been used for the portholes, while thousands of additional square feet aggregating hundreds of tons, are included in the staterooms and public rooms.

But there are several objects behind the idea of using so much glass. In addition to providing greater comfort for the passengers and avoiding too much artificial light there are certain hygienic considerations, and a small army of window-cleaners will be kept busy washing and polishing the thousands of panes of glass.

"Queen Mary", in fact, is a window-cleaner's paradise.

All the first-class staterooms which face the open sea are fitted with long glass sliding windows. In the main lounge there are 32 windows, each 13 feet high, and the children's playroom has five windows 12 feet high.

A novel system has been used in the verandah restaurant. The ornate window-sills are actually electric radiators which maintain an even temperature.

On one side of the restaurant is a beautifully designed balustrade illuminated by ever-changing coloured lights hidden underneath.

The shopping centre is almost entirely constructed of glass. The outfitting shop has a frontage of 15 feet while many of the walls give the effect of a gigantic sheet of glass, so ingeniously have the big panes been fitted together.

SELECTED RECIPES

PLAIN DOUGHNUTS

2½ tablespoons butter
1 cup sugar
3 eggs
¾ cup bread flour (about)
4 teaspoons Magic Baking Powder
¼ teaspoon nutmeg
1 teaspoon salt
½ teaspoon cinnamon
1 cup milk
Cream together butter and one half sugar. Beat remaining sugar with eggs until very light and combine mixtures. Sift together 3 cups bread flour, baking powder, salt and spices and add to first mixture alternately with the milk, add enough flour to roll out to ¼-inch thickness, cut and fry in hot fat 375 degrees F. to a light brown. Drain on paper and serve hot. Turn once only. Drain on brown paper and roll in sugar.

To Test Fat:—Put pan on fire and when smoke rises drop in a small piece of dough. If it rises quickly to the top, fat is ready.

No One Saw Eclipse

Last One For 1935 Visible Only At South Pole

Santa kept one Christmas treat for himself, the year's last eclipse of the sun.

It was visible in no inhabited part of the world and even Mr. Claus had to scan the sky from the ice fields of the South Pole.

For a few fleeting seconds, the Antarctic was shadowed by the weird light of a sun reduced to a thin blinding circle. The eclipses lasted but a minute and 23 seconds from the time the moon began blotting out the sun's light until Old Sol shone full again. Dr. Philip Fox, director of the Adler planetarium, Chicago, said.

It was the seventh eclipse of 1935—the maximum number possible in any year. It ended a series of heavenly phenomena which will not be seen again for 550 years.

From Old Irish Term

Uisgebaugh is a potent liquor made in Drogheda, Ireland. Literally translated the word means "mad water." By abbreviating the name of the drink to "uisque," gradually it became whisky. In Molucca there is a beverage called "the tears of the widow of Malabar." Curacao, named for an island in the West Indies, is made from (Seville) oranges.

Pray For Peace

Nearly 3,000 mothers gathered recently in the thirteenth century parish church in Alnwick, Scotland, and prayed for peace. They were led by the archbishop of Lindisfarne. The occasion was the annual Mothers' Union festival, to which mothers came from miles around.

Pailbearers at the funeral of the Earl of Morton in Argyllshire, Scotland, were plus fours.

A silkwoman's cocoon may unwind to a length of 600 yards.

The average weight of a dozen eggs is 1½ pounds.

Cannot Solve Problem

Algoma District Wonders Why Cariboo Have Gone North

There is the sight of a lifetime near Churchill on Hudson's Bay—a herd of caribou estimated at 50,000. The herd extends 26 miles by half a mile on the march. The Globe wonders what would happen if this army invaded Churchill and is puzzled over the southward journey of the caribou.

Doubtless the answer to the latter question lies in unsatisfactory food conditions in the so-called barren lands. Did the hot summer damage the growth there this year?

Algoma has often wondered why its numerous caribou left the district a couple of generations ago, giving place to the red deer and the moose. Did the latter come because the caribou moved north, or did the deer and moose compel removal? It is known, of course, that the caribou regularly migrates though the reason of the periodical changes in their migration routes is not known.

Although the west attacks the caribou in the far north it is interesting to note that there were no wolves reported in Algoma before 1900 by which time the caribou had practically left the district for the north.

However, it can be guessed that the caribou was not so fond of caribou meat because these animals do not like the treeless grounds north of Churchill, and there is more food south.

It may be that our timber wolf, which is a shade larger than the Arctic (tundra) wolf, is not so fond of caribou meat which seems to be the principal factor in the caribou's life. When caribou increase so does the tundra wolf.—Sault Ste. Marie Star.

Canadian Wheat Moving

Export For November Largest In Month Since 1932

Canadian wheat is moving to the world's markets in greater volume than for some years, and at a more satisfactory price. Exports in November were 26,575,000 bushels sold at an average price of 82 cents a bushel or a total of \$21,749,000, which was the largest quantity exported in any November since 1932 at the highest aggregate value since 1929.

In November last year we sold 18,769,000 bushels at 78 cents, in 1933 exports were 23,143,000 bushels at only 66 cents, and in 1932 the quantity was 27,301,000 bushels but the price was only 51 cents.

After long and difficult seasons during which our surplus wheat piled up in granaries and elevators the world now is calling for the grain only 66 cents a bushel. There is every evidence that the carry-over at the end of the present crop year will be greatly reduced, and at a price that will vindicate the policy of the Bennett Government in supporting the industry while world prices were at a minimum level.

This enormous wheat surplus has been one of our major problems. The happy and profitable solution that seems to be in sight was an encouraging circumstance as we entered the closing days of thirty-five.—Ottawa Journal.

Anxious To Conduct Search

Thousands Answer Millionaire's Plea To Find Kidnapped Daughter

Four thousand people have applied to a Bombay millionaire for permission to search for his kidnapped daughter.

The girl disappeared a year ago in the wilds of Burma, India. It is stated, though it is believed she was carried off to Bombay. Her identity has not been revealed, nor that of her father.

Private detectives have hunted for her, without result, and when advertisements appeared in the native newspapers offering \$17,500 a month expenses to anyone who would search for her, and \$7,500 reward for her recovery, letters poured in.

The millionaire demanded from applicants a deposit of \$37,500 as a guarantee of good faith. This brought \$112,500.

He has now made a "short list" of six to conduct the search. A woman social worker has been placed in charge of it, and pledged to secrecy.

It is stated that the girl's family are aware of the identity of the kidnappers. She has a personal fortune of \$225,000.

Keeping A Scrap Book

We often wonder how many of our readers keep a scrap-book, says the Chesley, Ont., Enterprise. Those who are not are missing a great deal of pleasure in not re-reading in dull hours gems of poetry, prose of clear thinkers, statistics of interest or other noble thought of gifted writers.

Protect Children

Children below the age of six may not attend motion picture theatres in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, and children between six and 14 see only those pictures deemed "proper" by the censorship board.

Unthinking People

The Winnipeg Free Press says it is difficult to imagine what passes for thinking with a man who, at this juncture in world affairs, is indifferent to the outcome of the issue which has been raised by Italy's defiance of the League.

THE LITTLE DEARS!



John Bull (to Nurse Baldwin): "The 'guads seem very lively, Nurse—if a trifle expensive!"—News of the World.

Improvement In Trade

Expansion Of External Trade Shown For 1935

To Canada 1935 brought the following improvements over 1934:

Expansion of external trade in both exports and imports with a favorable balance of around \$150,000,000.

Production of motor cars and trucks increased about 30 per cent.

Output of boot and shoe factories greater by 23 per cent.

Newspaper production the heaviest since 1923 and seven per cent. greater than in 1934.

General industrial production increased about 15 per cent.

Mining companies increased their output of metals by 18 per cent.

Export sales of copper expanded by about 36 per cent.

Steel plants increased production by about 40 per cent.

Number of people employed estimated at 100,000 more than in previous year.

Sales of cattle in Canadian stockyards 18.5 per cent. greater than in previous period.

Peasants Order Gas Masks

Arabs Near Jerusalem Not Taking Any Chances On War

Eighty Arab peasants from two villages outside Jerusalem have placed orders for British gas-masks with a local agent. Each mask will cost \$20.

The example was started by a peasant of Beit Safa, village near Jerusalem. He bought a mask and told the agent that, if war came, it might save the lives of his three wives and eight children. If Allah decreed there should be no war, the useless mask could hang on his wall, he said, and so incite his neighbors to envy and admiration.

"How can you divide one mask among your family of eleven?" asked the merchant.

"By the will of Allah," the Arab replied, "it shall be divided so that all have a chance of wearing it."

Now 80 neighboring peasants also want gas-masks for "all families."

Youngest Man In Parliament

Alberta's Social Credit Member Is Only 29 Years Old

The "baby" member of the next Canadian parliament will be Rene Pelletier, 27-year-old student agent of Fairbairn, Alta., on the Northern Alberta Railway, 200 miles northwest of Edmonton. A Social Credit candidate, he was elected member of the House of Commons for Peace River riding in the Oct. 14 election.

Born at Fauslin, Que., Sept. 2, 1908, Mr. Pelletier moved to Montreal with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Z. Pelletier, when he was still a boy. He attended primary school at Montreal until 1919, when the family moved to Calgary. At 16 he was a telegrapher for the N.A.R.

Verhoyanik, Siberia, is noted for its extreme cold but it has had heat waves with temperatures of over 90 degrees.

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War Graves

International Joint Committee To Deal With Administration

Agreement to set up an international joint committee to deal with administrative questions relating to war graves was signed in Berlin on behalf of Canada by Sir Eric Phipps, British ambassador to Germany. Announcement of the agreement was made simultaneously in the United Kingdom, Germany, Canada, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, India, Newfoundland and France.

At a conference held last October in Berlin, attended by British, French and German representatives, it was unanimously decided to recommend establishment of a joint committee of the governments of the above-named countries. Duties of the committee would be to attend to the care of German war graves in British cemeteries in France, and of British war graves in Germany.

An agreement for this purpose, suggested at the conference, has now been completed, approved by all countries concerned, and the committee will be appointed at once.

Constitution of the new committee will be similar to that of the Anglo-French and other committees which have given the Imperial War Graves commission great co-operation and assistance in their work since the war.

Work Of Boy Scouts

Scouts And Girl Guides All Over Canada Distribute Toys

Repeating their Santa Claus job of previous years, the Boy Scouts and Girl Guides of Canada operated a chain of Christmas toy and doll-making and repair shops that stretched from Sydney, N.S., to Prince Rupert, B.C., and provided gifts for close to 100,000 children.

While the main distribution in the east was among children in urban centers, gifts also were sent to children's families along the Nova Scotia coast, the children of miners in the coalfields, east and west, and of some thousand homesteaders on the prairies.

The Scout-Guide toy shops of Saskatchewan had an especially heavy demand to meet, and to assist them the Scouts and Guides of London, Ont., Ottawa and Montreal shipped several thousand toys, books and dolls in bulk quantities.

Large distributions locally and among homesteaders were made by Winnipeg, Calgary and Edmonton shops.

Does Not Enjoy Luxury

Rich Irish Terrier Would Rather Be Just A Dog

Chicago's poor rich dog Red, a sassy Irish setter, is back in the home that a \$27,500 legacy provides for him. Red, after three days of wandering, appeared unhappy.

Red found things to his liking in a drug store not far from his home. The smell of cosmetics and drugs and the bustle of customers pleased the dog.

Louis Weprin, manager of the store, liked Red and took him home. But he found out later that the dog was the missing heir. In spite of the fact that Red's guardian, Miss Marie Hunter, was willing to let Weprin keep the dog, the Probate Court ruled that he must return to the Hunter home.

So the setter is again basking in his kennel, wishing, perhaps, that his benefactor had given that \$27,000 to some other dog.

Veteran Gets Hero Medal

One-Armed Soldier Adds Decoration To His Collection

To his collection of decorations for service, Thomas Addicot of Glace Bay, Nova Scotia, one-armed war veteran, can now add another for his heroism in the battle of the Somme.

Philip the Good, then Duke of Burgundy, endowed the hospital with the vialyard that its earnings might provide care for patients unable to pay.

The auction is held annually in the dimly-lit hall of the hospital, the bidding continuing only during the burning of a candle. Many of the finest burgundies in the world are marketed at the famous auction.

Relic Of Olden Days

Candling Applied To Process When Candle Was Used

The term "candling" as applied to eggs is a relic of the days when the only source of artificial light was the candle. It was then customary to place a candle in a stovepipe and by passing the eggs before a small hole abreast of the light to separate the eggs that were clear from those that were dark or opaque. To-day all candling is done by means of strong electric light.

His Boyhood Ambition

Lord Tweedsmuir Always Wanted To Play A Soldier

The boyhood ambition of Lord Tweedsmuir, Canada's governor-general, was to be able to play a cornet. This much His Excellency confided to the Ottawa Boys' band. The governor-general and Lady Tweedsmuir also had a cornet presented by that juvenile organization, which is sponsored by a citizens' committee and a local service club.

Woman Was Good Shot

Algoma wives are keeping clear of Mrs. J.W. Mack's back door.

Mrs. Mack went to Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., to collect the \$15 bounty on a large wolf she laid low with a bullet from a .22 rifle.

"When are Joan and Edward to be married?" Play A Soldier.

"Never, I'm afraid."

"Well, how's that?"

"Well, she won't marry him until he pays his debts, and he can't pay his debts until she marries him."

Canada's National Game

Hockey Is Now Spreading To Countries All Around The World

Hockey, Canada's chief contribution to the world of sport, is taking hold in sporting circles of countries all around the globe. In former years hockey was confined to areas where Jack Frost was depended upon to provide ice, but with the advance made in refrigeration engineering in recent years hockey is rapidly extending its boundaries prospective of climate. It is already well established in England and on the Continent and last year made an appearance in China and Japan. Plans are now under way to build an artificial ice rink in Johannesburg, South Africa, in connection with the Empire Exhibition to be held in that city from September 15, 1936, to January 15, 1937. While the rink is only planned for the duration of the exhibition, hockey enthusiasts are considering taking it over and organizing teams from among the fairly large Canadian colony around Johannesburg.

While Canadian players compose a large part of the rosters of teams in England and Europe, the distance between Canada and South Africa makes the migration of players a practical impossibility.

Hockey is played in all of Canada and in the past decade or so has become very popular in the United States. Spectators as well as players thrill to this sport, practically everywhere where it attracts immense crowds to witness both professional and amateur contests, and through the medium of radio play-by-play descriptions of the principal matches are carried into millions of homes during the hockey season.

Lost Coins

Canadians Lose From \$15,000 To \$200,000 A Year In Nickels And Coppers

Canadians lose from \$15,000 to \$200,000 a year in nickels and coppers. Where they disappear to is a mystery. They simply vanish out of circulation through some non-traceable channel.

United States has a similar problem. In fact, it is a world-wide condition in which practically every country where nickel and bronze coinage of small denominations are used.

Growth of chain and department stores in Canada has increased enormously the demand for five and one-cent pieces. Largely to meet this change in merchandise, the amount issued has leaped from year to year until \$214,000 worth of nickels and 7,460,000 coppers were put into circulation from the royal Canadian mint in 1935. The sum tied up in slot machines, too, is tremendous.

Little difficulty is encountered in tracing silver issues. The 10, 25 and 50-cent pieces and the silver dollar are accounted for easily in a check-up. Latest figures show 428,120 silver dollars were put into circulation this year. \$34,000 in 25-cent pieces and \$38,500 in 10-cent pieces. There were no new 50-cent pieces issued in 1935, as the \$19,200 worth put into circulation in 1934 coupled with a supply left over from previous issues met demands.

Auction Held Every Year

Proceeds Of Wine Sale Go To French Hospital

Wine from grapes of an orchard provided by Philip the Good in the 15th century was sold at auction in Beaune, France, amid splendor and festivities changed little since medieval times.

Wine-buyers who mingled with singing and dancing townfolk clad in old Burgundian costumes spent about \$39,000 for the wine sold by the Hospital of Beaune.

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Otherwise Fearful

"I wanted to listen to Christmas carols on the radio," Anthony Seiler, 41, of Chicago, explained to the judge. "I like em—peace on earth and that sort of thing. But my wife wanted to listen to dance music. So I hit her." He paid a \$100 fine.

Cuba Is Buying 100 Years as Much American Rice as a Year Ago

A psychologist once told us that people are happiest in their dreams. Yeah, it's a great life if you don't wake.

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FLEMING'S FOLLY

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CHAPTER IV.—Continued

Fleming's face was illumined momentarily as he lighted his cigarette. "I guess you're asking for plain truth, Stephen may send Buzz away for awhile if he can. He's set against shooting, especially in town. Sort of anxious to make an example of everyone that does it. Ames is a mighty good law officer and he figures to keep trouble down by acting kind of harsh. I'll sure do something about it if I can, but Ames goes his own way. Nobody can talk him out of anything." He was thinking that not even Kilgo could swerve the stern law officer.

The girl nodded, her slender fingers held worriedly to her lips. "Perhaps," she murmured softly, "it will do Buzz good. Oh, I know how he is—he's weak. Buzz is easily led, and I just have a feeling he has come under the influence of someone the last two years, someone very strong-minded. It seems a terrible thing to say, and I don't want my brother put in prison." A shudder escaped her lips.

"But—well, perhaps punishment, a small amount of it, will make a new man of Buzz."

"That's what might happen, and I sure wish it would. I'll do anything I can for you while he's gone, Helen. I mean like help in the 'Triple H'."

"Thank you." Then thoughtfully: "I shall be in charge of the ranch, shall I? I suppose I can do anything necessary to improve it or keep it up."

About to mount his horse, Fleming paused. He squinted inquiringly at the lassome girl standing a few feet away, her face partly visible, partly in shadow. "What do you mean?"

"Why, Buzz and I own nine hundred acres out in the draw, don't we? Useless, barren land. Right next your seventeen hundred acres. How much do you suppose it would cost to dig irrigation ditches all through it, and build a small dam backing up Silver Creek into a sort of lake?"

With a low exclamation he dropped his reins and stepped nearer, to peer startled down at her. "Do you mean you'd go against the advice of the only man who really knows irrigation around here—Torrey?"

And the advice of your own brother? And your—well, Kilgo?"

Helen tossed her head. "I don't know. How much do you think it would cost?"

"Oh, I'd say fifteen thousand dollars."

The girl placed a hand at her bosom. "I have the first thousand right here, Link. If the others don't want to come in, we could form a partnership, couldn't we? Now don't you think you'd better go home?"

As he rode up to the corral on his own ranch, Fleming still was immersed in thought of the plucky girl's offer. But he frowned as he reflected that she could not realize the weight of public sentiment

against them. Buihodies, ever eager to wag their tongues in speculation, would hint that the Star Loop owner had "talked Helen into it."

Discounting, he unadvisedly, his buckskin and turned the animal into the corral. With saddle and bridle in his arms he started toward the ranch house. Yes, everyone would be dead set against it. There would be gossip aplenty that "I had persuaded Helen against her will, premeditation of bankruptcy and ruin."

He stopped suddenly. The saddle fell from his grasp and his hand sought the holstered sixgun at his side.

"Don't get tough, Link—it's me, Roper." A short, thick figure detached itself from the shadow of the low stoop and Kilgo stepped into a pool of faint moonlight, grinning.

"He picked up his saddle again and he went on easily. 'Didn't mean to scare you, Link.'"

"I see." Surprise at the unexpectedness of the visit was masked in his next words. "Why sure, Roper, let's get inside and have a light."

He picked up his saddle again and carried it to the stoop. Leading the way into his four-room clapboard ranch house, he lighted an oil lamp on a centre table of the living room. "Make yourself at home," he invited his guest.

Kilgo appeared to have something on his mind. He stood fingering his cartridge belt while he shifted weight. "Say, Link, this here is kind of a hard thing to talk about. Fact is," he blurted out, "I planned on ridin' home with Helen Hamilton when she came. I mean, it kind of took the wind outta my sails when you went galavantin' off with her."

"You see, Helen and I. Before you bought the Star Loop, I'd know her quite a spell. Always got along together good and all that. Some folks around the county'd tell you we're as good as engaged."

"That so? I didn't get quite that impression."

He flashed a quick look. "Course I know you wasn't wise to it. It makes me plumb sore to have interference, Link—like it does any man, I reckon. I'm known for a guy that don't allow interference from no one."

"Kilgo's eyes were evasive. 'What I'm gettin' at is, I don't care to have you mix in my personal affairs, Fleming.'"

"There was a trident edge to his tone that the girl did not miss. He tossed his hat on the table and rested a thigh over its corner. Swinging his leg idly, he examined Roper with keen, understanding eyes. It was a plain warning, a command that he keep his interference, and it rubbed Fleming the wrong way."

"Seems almost like this engagement business is one-sided," he drawled. "However, I haven't any intention arguin' the matrimony question. By the way, Helen and I may go into partnership."

He started. "What do you mean?"

"Why, when folks go into business together, that's called a partnership. That seventeen hundred acres you let me win in a crooked poker game some time back, I'll put on it. It's going to be worth a hundred, maybe two hundred an acre some day for alfalfa. Helen'll be in charge of the Triple H now, and she has more advanced ideas than Buzz. We're thinking of putting our own water on an irrigation project of our own, seeing you and the others don't believe in good old-fashioned water."

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Royal Bank Presents Strong Annual Statement Deposits Up \$51,000,000—Marked Improvement Evident Last Year Continues

The Annual Statement of The Royal Bank of Canada reflects a very substantial growth during the year. Assets have crossed the eight hundred million dollar mark, being actually \$809,919,000. Deposits show an increase slightly greater than the rather remarkable increase shown in the previous year.

Assets have increased during the year by over \$42,000,000. That the growth of total assets is somewhat less than the increase in deposits is apparently accounted for by the fact that the special loan of \$9,000,000 in December 30, 1934, has been repaid.

Strong Liquid Position
In these days of easy money, no great emphasis is placed by the banks on liquidity but actually immediately realizable assets are 56% of total liabilities to the public. Investments show an increase of \$61,716,925, which is in line with recent trends banking, not only in Canada but in the United States and Great Britain as well. The banks have never been in as strong a position as they are at present in regard to commercial demands as these develop.

Deposits Largely Increased
Deposits registered a growth of \$51,000,000 in 1934, a record of \$66,512. A decrease in interest-bearing deposits is noted. It is understood that this does not indicate a reduction in savings deposits in Canada, which have actually increased substantially.

He waved his hands as if unable to express himself in words. "Come on, let's go after the guy. I'll prove to you I didn't."

The door burst open and Waco Byrne, one of the Star Loop hands, stepped in gripping a sixgun in each heavy fist. "Heard shootin', Boss, and glass. What happened?"

"Someone tried to get me, but he missed. Waco, you take two or three of the boys and go after him. He shot from the south; reckon he must have hid behind that gutter. The chap can't be far off yet. Grab him!"

The door slammed as the puncher hurried to comply. Fleming watched his visitor with sharp suspicion. Finally, concluding it was safe to do so, he whispered his gun. "Thanks for your offer to hunt that gutter buster, but I guess my men can do the job all right. You in a hurry to go?"

As if muttering his courage, Roper shuffled forward. "Aw, that's a helluva way to suspect a guy," he protested. "If I wanted you dead why wouldn't I have done it myself?"

"Because I'm not so slow drawing for one thing. And one of my men may have seen you here, so it would be a bit hard to explain."

(To Be Continued)

Canadian Grand Opera

All Canadian Company Has Been Organized In Toronto

Climax of two years of preparation and experimentation, the Canadian Grand Opera Association became a reality in Toronto.

The announcement came from Brahean Urban, producer and impresario, who declared the measure of success attending three operas presented under varying auspices last spring, was sufficient to warrant a broadening out of activity and establishment of an opera organization on a permanent basis. A provincial charter, he said, had already been obtained.

Simultaneously, Mr. Urban announced the engagement of Richard Hageman, internationally famed conductor and composer, as musical director of the new association.

All of the artists, principals and chorus, will be Canadians. Six performances will be offered at Massey Hall, Toronto, during February and March.

Chemist have found that surfaces of all solid bodies are covered with a film of oil or oil, often only one molecule thick.

Progress has been wonderful, but old-timers will tell you that the horse was easier to start on a cold morning.

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stantially, but is accounted for by the discontinuance of the payment of interest on a large proportion of the bank's deposits outside of Canada. It is no doubt a reflection of greatly improved business throughout the country that the growth under this heading during the past two years has been no less than 17%.

Commercial Loans Up
Commercial loans show a moderate increase of \$2,038,882, which is encouraging when it is taken into consideration that general experience has not yet indicated that demand for new loans has more than offset liquidation of slow advances carried in the depression. Call Loans in Canada also increased by \$2,898,033 but Call Loans abroad are down \$10,690,198. As is well known, the yield on such loans in London and New York is about at the vanishing point.

Profit and Loss Account
Profits for the year amounting to \$3,430,522 show a slight decrease but were sufficient to provide for \$2,800,000 in dividends, \$200,000 for transfer to Bank Premiums account, \$200,000 to be applied to the Officers' Pension and Provincial Government taxes, leaving a surplus of \$102,700 to be added to Profit and Loss Account.

The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the Head Office of the bank in Montreal on Thursday, January 8th at 11 a.m., when the report for the year ended November 30th will be submitted.

An Old Document
Believed To Have Been Written By Robert Bruce In 1272

The last 600 years have seen many momentous events in the history of the world and the average person today would feel a sense of awe were he to receive a letter that he knew had been written by a man who lived in the 13th century; yet the believed written words of Robert Bruce preserve to the throne of Scotland in 1286, are to be seen on a sheet of paper pasted to the back of a shingle bearing an armorial ensign, owned by Alexander D. Fullerton of Williamsburg, New Brunswick.

The ensign, which is the armorial insignia of the clan of Fullerton, and was presented, so far as can be made out from the faded writing, for services rendered by the clan in battle, was placed in the year 1272 A.D. by Robert Bruce, at that time recognized in Scotland as king. The arms of the clan are on the front of the shingle to which they were apparently stuck when presented, and are still very clear.

The written account which accompanied them is attached to the back of the shingle and is much faded, it being hard for a reader to-day to follow the trend. Much of the latter part of the message is nearly lost. It is obvious, however, from that which is legible, that the king is praising one "reginald fullerton" (the words are not capitalized, following the custom of the time) for his deeds in battle, though it is not very clear what the fight was down in the war or in one of the clan feuds, which were frequent at that time. The date 1272 is clear, and the writing, supposed to be that of the famed Bruce, although easy to read originally, would be not much better than "the boyhood" to-day.

A cup of silver, lined with gold, was also presented at the time of the presentation of the shingle. It is also in the possession of Mr. Fullerton. It is about four inches high and perfect—09 plain gold for the arms of the family, which are engraved on front.

May House Valuable Things
Attics In Many Homes Are Likely Concealing Treasures

If one were to search through the attics of many homes throughout Canada a surprising number of valuable documents might be unearthed. Judge C. Ross found one in his home at Stratford, Ontario. It had to do with the resolution that brought Mackenzie King into nomination as leader of the Liberal party in 1919.

Judge Ross may not have treated the sheet of paper as very important at the time, but fortunately he did not destroy it. Since Mr. King has risen to eminence in Canada and the Empire, the document Judge Ross possesses becomes particularly valuable and we would not be surprised if it were offered at Ottawa would be asking the Ontario judge to turn it over to the state for preservation.

It is not so long ago that we read of the discovery of a very valuable postage stamp. In a search through a garret in an Eastern Canada home, a youth came upon this stamp and found that what had been hidden away for years and not treated as of any value, was to-day worth many hundreds of dollars. Garrets are neglected places. We throw into them old ends and then forget about them. It might be doing any harm to poke around them occasionally, for out of them we may bring something of value; either in old letters, documents, papers or some such thing.—Lankshire Herald.

India now ranks eighth in modern manufacturing countries.

The starfish has one set of eyes on each of its five arms.

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National Scholarships Federal Government To Be Asked To Endorse The Plan

A measure to introduce national scholarships for brilliant students who would otherwise be unable to attend university because of lack of funds will be introduced in the House of Commons at the next session, A. E. Corrigan of Ottawa told the Ontario Secondary School Teachers' Federation.

Mr. Corrigan asked for the support of the federation, explaining that more than 80 per cent. of Canadian leaders are produced from less than the one per cent. of scholars who attend university. Of the 99 per cent. who leave school at matriculation, there must be many more brilliant ones than those who continue, he said.

Mr. Corrigan said there was little doubt but that the measure would receive the endorsement of parliament. He was assured by the managements of many large financial businesses, he said, that the employment would readily be offered all national scholars.

"It is a matter of extreme urgency for the national well-being that we mobilize the brains of the country and turn its possibilities into wealth," Mr. Corrigan asserted.

He proposed that 1,000 national scholarships, valued at \$400 annually with free tuition, be awarded by the Dominion government. National scholars would be chosen because of mental and intellectual gifts and character and temperament. Mr. Corrigan said he hoped to obtain the support of 25 universities in the scheme.

Extending Man's Vision
New Telescope Makes Visible Areas 1,200,000 Light Years From Earth

From Corning, N.Y., comes news of the completion of the 200-inch reflector which will be used in the world's largest telescope, to be erected in an observatory on Palomar Mountain, California.

It is the second huge glass eye to be poured for this purpose. The first showed a defect after some weeks of shining and the pouring of the second was carried out early last year. The subsequent lapse of time is mainly due to the very slow controlled cooling, to guard against cracking or mental and intellectual gifts and character and temperament. Mr. Corrigan said he hoped to obtain the support of 25 universities in the scheme.

Experts estimate that the giant telescope, twice as large as the one at Mt. Wilson, will make visible cosmic areas 1,200,000 light years removed from the earth. The moon will become a next door neighbor, and the possibilities for planetary research will get longer range. Ultimate problems, of course, will be no nearer solution. No matter how powerful an instrument may be turned toward the heavens, there will always remain vast regions of the imperceptible and unknown. But the physical boundaries of man's knowledge will be considerably extended by this latest triumph of optical engineering.—Kingston Whig-Standard.

Infantile Paralysis
Rockefeller Institute Reports Method To Deal With Scourge

Discovery at the Rockefeller Institute of a nose wash which protects monkeys from infantile paralysis and is now ready "for trial in man" was reported to the Society of American Bacteriologists at its opening session in New York.

A second, entirely different sort of infantile paralysis preventive found in vitamin C, the vitamin from oranges, lemons, tomatoes, spinach, cabbage and lettuce was reported at Columbia University. The vitamin at Columbia prevented infantile paralysis in monkeys, but under circumstances so peculiar that the vitamin is not yet ready for trial for children.

A little boy, after his first day at school, was questioned as to what happened the first day.

"Nothing much," he said, except that a lady there who didn't know how to spell 'cat,' asked me how, and I told her.

Pasteurization is an important step in the manufacture of wine.

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Everyone Will Take Chance Dieticians Say Only Heavy Worker Should Eat From Pudding

The glorious, standing plum pudding, tail-end of every traditional Christmas dinner, stands convicted as nutritionally incorrect and far too heavy for anyone whose task is lighter than ditch-digging in this work-a-day world.

The judges were Mrs. E. B. Rutter, professor of Household Science at the University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon, for many years, and Dr. J. S. Brown, specialist in children's ailments.

It was Dr. Brown who made the reference to ditch-digging. After condemning plum pudding as "really a terrible pudding," a plateful of which was a meal in itself, the specialist admitted the meal should depend upon the size of the eater.

"For a laboring man, digging ditches, there would be no harm in a meal of turkey, plum pudding, nuts and candy. The man who can afford these things is the man who should not eat them, and those who cannot afford them are those who should," he said.

Professor Rutter declared the plum pudding far too heavy a dish to follow the turkey. When nuts, raisins and candy were added, as usually, the meal became "really terrible" from a scientific nutritional point of view.

"Of course one cannot apply the dictates of nutrition to a traditional menu," Mrs. Rutter admitted. "Perhaps it is all right once a year, but it would be far better to follow the roast turkey with a light frozen dessert and have the pudding the next day with a little cold turkey."

"Of course there are plum puddings and plum puddings," Mrs. Rutter went on. The tendency now is to replace some of the nut by grated raw carrots and potatoes. The pudding need not be so highly spiced. Such puddings are far better for children."

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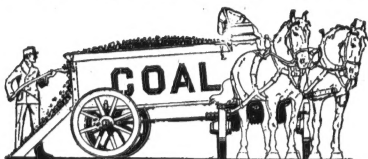
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CENTRAL SMART INEXPENSIVE

Unrestricted Patronage

(Continued from Page One)

ing the vacation of the old Parliament Buildings behind the present structure by the R.C.M.P. This familiar brick building whose history goes back to beyond the formation of the province of Alberta, when it was used as the executive buildings for the Northwest Territories, and where the council for the territories held its sessions, has seen some stirring episodes in the early history of Alberta.

It will not be closed but will be used as offices for various government branches now housed in other buildings. From 1905 to 1912 the buildings were the seat of the provincial government and then the Parliament Buildings took their place. It is possible that the motion picture censor's branch may be removed there and the Dominion Farm Loan board may find more commodious quarters there also.

There has been a deal of discussion up and down the province regarding patronage in the government services. The government denies that it is practicing patronage more than previous administrations have, but there are plenty of critics who claim otherwise. Premier Aberhart in reply to a demand from St. Paul Social Credit group for dismissal of all present government employees in the riding and that appointment of successors to them be subject to endorsement by W. Beaudry, M.L.A., sitting member, said the government cannot accept this principle. "We cannot carry patronage that far, unrestricted patronage will not be practiced by the provincial government."

An announcement of interest to holders of Provincial Saving Certificates all over the province was made by the government during the week, when it said cheques to cover interest on all demand certificates, totalling \$185,000, had been mailed to holders of these certificates Thursday.

The cheques represented interest at four and a half per cent, four and three per cent, depending upon the time of purchase, and the amount of money represented by these certificates was \$4,900,000.

Interest on term certificates, payable on each anniversary has been paid regularly.

Premier Aberhart stood firmly against paying more than 70 per cent of relief costs for Edmonton and Calgary, when Mayors Davidson, of Calgary, and Joseph Clarke, of Edmonton, called on him at the Parliament Buildings Friday. The stand the government has taken is that both cities and towns and rural municipalities will be treated alike in the matter of relief aid.

The present state of the province's finances would not stand better than the 70 per cent, the premier said. The province is "simply passing along to the municipalities part of the increased grant from the federal treasury. Mr. Aberhart impressed on the mayors that there must be no increase in relief scales and "chiselling" on accounts.

The annual convention of the United Farmers of Alberta opened its sessions Tuesday, in the Masonic Temple, Edmonton, and despite reduced membership in the organization, a large delegation attendance was provided for. Five hundred delegates are here at this 28th annual convention of the organization.

Addresses of welcome were given by His Honor W. L. Walsh, lieutenant-governor, Hon. William Aberhart, premier, and Mayor Joseph Clarke of Edmonton. The convention will last until Friday night and important constitutional questions affecting the future of the U. F. A. will occupy the attention of the gathering.

Mrs. Cora McPherson, former wife of O. L. McPherson, former minister of public works in the Brownlee cabinet, has dropped her appeal against the finding of Mr. Justice Ford in her plea for voiding of the divorce granted Mr. McPherson against her in 1931. It was stated by her lawyer George H. Van Allen K. C. that Mrs. McPherson has not the funds necessary to carry her appeal to the supreme court of Canada. This appeal is a separate one from that concluded before the Privy Council in London lately.

Premier Aberhart began his Sunday night hour-long religious services over C.F.A. from the Strand Theatre, Edmonton, on Sunday night. Next Sunday his place will be taken by this service by Hon. E. C. Manning.

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Go Ahead Signals

The street light department of Canadian Automotive Trade, magazine devoted to the Dominion's motor industry, suggests that general conditions in Canada are conducive to an active automobile year. The editor points out: "Canada's 1935 economic index 6.6 per cent higher than 1934. Freight higher, but grain shipments lower. Grain moving with unusual freedom. Trade arrangement with Japan loosens jam prices remarkably stable. Bond prices at higher level than any since war period. Spectacular feature is advance of common stock prices. Bonds showing new firmness. Bank clearings up 6.4 per cent. Manufacturing record most encouraging, index taking year-end return. Electric power output reaches new all time high. Employment situation better than since 1931. Twelve-month foreign trade 11 per cent up over 1934."

Setting a fast pace as the motor car industry started the calendar year were Chevrolet Canadian sales. Models for 1936, re-designed and improved, were introduced in November, first of the General Motors lines to test the buying temper of the public at an unfamiliar announcement period. In six weeks Chevrolet Standards and Masters had chalked up more retail sales than during any similar announcement period for years past. Dealers generally say Canada piled orders far beyond anticipation, notwithstanding winter's onset. A sure sign, General Motors executives think, that modern car improvements have broken the chains of buying habit in Canada. Motor executives have forecasts of buying activity on two things. Whether the public likes the product and whether the public can afford to buy. The first is definitely affirmative and dealers across the Dominion say buying power is better than for some years.

Speed Traps a la Britain

To clamp the speed of dashing drivers, speed suggestionists in the United States have evolved an automatic speed trap. It is based on the light ray and photo electric principle. The device has a dial which shows the exact speed at which any vehicle has passed over a stretch of road under control. It is hoped also to incorporate in the apparatus a camera which will register this speed, together with the registration number of the car. A British writer wonders why the device should stop short there. "Why," he ponders, "not have a barricade which automatically drops down and closes the road if its legal speed has been exceeded, remaining closed until the amount of the fine has been paid into a slot machine?"

No Breaking-in!

The tiresome process of pampering an automobile during the first few thousand miles of operation has been entirely eliminated in the 1936 lines of Cadillac and LaSalle cars. "When these motors are installed in the chassis, they are ready for any normal service that the owner may require," said the Oshawa engineers. "We employ a careful and prolonged 'running in' operation on the motors under the constant observation of Cadillac craftsmen. As a result, our motors are built to such extreme standards of precision that all moving parts receive a uniformly high polish during the 'running in' process. For instance, when installing the Cadillac-LaSalle type of T-slotted anodized aluminum pistons, the fit of any one piston is not permitted to vary more than seven hundred thousandths of an inch from that of any other piston in the motor block. The owners of a new Cadillac or LaSalle may drive his car exactly as though it were a year or more old. The only restriction is that the car

should not at first be driven at top speed for any long period."

Judge Stands "A-B-C's"

So practical did a Montreal judge find the "A.B.C. of Driving," a safety booklet issued by General Motors of Canada, Limited, that he refers to it constantly in the many cases involving traffic rules which come before him for decision. The booklet thus came to the attention of a lawyer in the same city who wrote to the Customer Research department at Oshawa for a copy. Thousands of Canadians have discovered the educational value of this brief publication, which contains discussion on driving dedicated to the safety, comfort and pleasure of the motoring public. It is a distinct contribution to the literature of motor car safety.

Old Car Menace

When compared with outmoded and worn-out models which click and jerk along the highways, the new cars, replete with the latest safety features, stand out in striking contrast. This contrast, N. H. Daniel, general service manager, General Motors Products of Canada, Limited points out, is more pronounced during the winter months when the menace of old cars is increased tenfold. While an old car is bad enough under perfect driving conditions, it creates real danger when the driver on icy roads, remarks Mr. Daniel. He draws attention to skidding which would not occur with modern hydraulic brakes; the dangerous old tires whose treads have been worn smooth; poor windshield wipers, and inefficient electrical and lighting systems. Another danger, he says, is Mr. Daniel states, is found in the biting winds which sneak through crevices and numb the driver's fingers. Even if a person cannot buy a new car, he believes it is a real economy to replace an out-worn model with one less decrepit.

Good Drivers "Arrested"

To be arrested by police, brought into court and "fined" has been the experience of many Minneapolis car drivers who have never violated a traffic law or hit a pedestrian. In fact, it is reported, watchful policemen have been spending a good part of their time "arresting" the better drivers of the city. Another "fine" "take it and like it" for the "fine" imposed is a gift of a new set of 1936 plates, presented through the courtesy of the Minneapolis Star. This unique practice has been adopted to encourage good driving so that it may be an honor as well as a writer wonders why the Minneapolis trade paper expresses the hope that the idea will be widely accepted and that the names of the best drivers in a town will appear in an "honor roll" in daily newspapers.

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TOWN OF LACOMBE AND LACOMBE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 243

Form "J" (Sec. 285 T.V. Act)

NOTICE OF TIME AND PLACE OF NOMINATION

Town of Lacombe and Lacombe School District elections, 1936. PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I will attend at the Town office, Barnett Avenue, Lacombe, Alberta, on Monday, the Third day of February, 1936, from eleven o'clock in the forenoon until twelve o'clock noon for the purpose of receiving nominations of candidates for the office of Councillor for the Town of Lacombe (three to be elected) and Trustee for the Lacombe School District No. 243 (two to be elected) for the next ensuing year.

Given under my hand at Lacombe, Alberta, this 15th day of January, 1936.

LEWIS P. MINKLER
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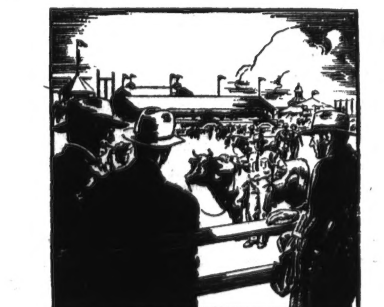
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Friday, 3:45 p.m. Choir Practice.
Jan. 26, 3rd Sunday after Epiphany.
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Morning Prayer.
12:30 p.m.—Bible Class.
7:30 p.m., Evensong.

St. Jude's Church, Blackfalds, 10:00 a.m. Sunday School. 11:00 a.m. Holy Communion.

At 11:00 a.m. on Tuesday, Jan. 23, there will be held at St. Cyprian's Church a Memorial Service for His late Majesty King George the Fifth.

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Rev. R. B. Layton, B.A., B.D., Minister
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Sunday School at 11 a.m.
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Rev. S. J. Waterman, Minister
Sunday, Jan. 26
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
2:00 p.m.—Sunday School and service at Clive.
7:30 p.m.—Evening worship at Lacombe. Subject "When Brothers Meet".
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS

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NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the Estate of the above named Nels Petersen, who died on or about the 29th day of November, A. D. 1935, are required to file with Montreal Trust Company, Edmonton, Alberta, Administrator of the Estate of the said deceased by the 27th day of February, A. D. 1936, a full statement duly verified of their claims and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the Administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which Notice has been so filed or which have been brought to their knowledge.

Dated this 10th day of January, A. D. 1936.

J. S. McCORMICK,
Lacombe, Alberta,
Solicitor for the said Administrator.

TOWN OF LACOMBE AND
LACOMBE SCHOOL DISTRICT
NO. 243
Form "T" (Section 203 T&V Act)

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a meeting of the directors of the Town of Lacombe and Lacombe School District No. 243 will be held in the Court Room, over the Fire Hall, Barnett Ave., Lacombe, Alberta, on Friday, the thirty-first day of January, 1936, at eight o'clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving the report of the Mayor, Secretary-Treasurer, Auditor and Chairman of the various committees of Council of the Town of Lacombe and the Trustees of the said School District for the year ending December 31, 1935.

Dated at Lacombe, Alberta, this fifteenth day of January, 1936.

LEWIS P. MINKLER,
Secretary-Treasurer

Pedigree Certificates

The number of pedigree certificates registered by the Canadian National Live Stock records, approved by the Dominion Minister of Agriculture, during 1935, was 76,746.

Alberta well organized with 98% membership. Much business transacted interspersed with entertainment. New officers elected.

The Alberta Division of the Canadian Weekly Newspaper Association, which enjoys a 98 per cent membership, held their annual convention on Friday and Saturday at the Much-on-a-Hill Hotel, Edmonton, with a large representation of weekly newspaper men from all parts of the province in attendance.

Much important business was transacted, and resolutions passed, including one favoring a reasonable basic price list for printing throughout the province, also one requesting that federal voters' lists be printed in the respective federal constituencies where adequate printing equipment was available to do this work. Another resolution requested the national body to investigate the growing practice of some advertisers in requesting reports in reader form which were properly advertising matter. These were the outstanding resolutions passed.

On Friday night a banquet was tendered the gathering by the paper supply houses, at which a most enjoyable entertainment was provided. The guest speaker was Dr. W. G. Hardy of the University of Alberta who spoke on the ancient and modern history of Ethiopia, and the desire of Italy in the present conflict. At the Saturday noon luncheon the visiting newspaper men were the guests of the Edmonton Bulletin and Edmonton Journal at which a masterful address was given by Mayor D. H. Elton, K.C., of Lethbridge, on what he termed as "Dangerous Drugs" not listed under the Narcotic Act, being the mental state of the human mind. "Public Enemy No. 1" he said was the drug of "Worry," and pointed out to his listeners the regrets of yesterday and the fears for tomorrow should be forgotten in the needs of today. Next was the "Hurry" drug which usually ended with hurrying oneself and all with whom we came in contact. He referred also to "Drift" and "Droop" drugs, both dangerous, and should be avoided. Life to the individual had much to do with their mentality, and the best stimulant he knew was "Service." Giving as well as getting together with service was the best investment, and was good legal tender in any country.

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BROWN SUGAR, moist, 4 lbs 25	2 tins 25c	
WHITE FIGS, fresh 2 lbs. 25c	PEACHES, Evaporat'd 2 lbs. 35c	
PRUNES, Cal. 10 lb. box 95c	FIGS, choice black 2 lbs. 25c	

PALMOLIVE SOAP	ROLLED OATS	AIRWAY FLOUR
OLIVE OIL BEAUTY SOAP	20 lbs. 85c	Large Size Tin - 10c
4 Cakes 19c	JAM	Pure Plum 4 lb. tin - 39c
	COCOA	Airway 2 lbs. - 29c

DATES, fresh Sairs	RICE, Japan	FAMILY TEA
2 lbs. 19c	4 lbs. 25c	1 lb. 39c
COCOA, Cowan's	Ontario Cheese, aged	Shortening, Bakeasy
1 lb. tin 25c	1 lb. 23c	2 lbs. 29c
Albion Cheese, mild	Corn Flakes, Kellogg's	Libby's Tomato Juice
1 lb. 19c	3 pkts 25c	4 tins 25c
MACARONI	Jelly Powders, Emp.	4 pkgs 19c
5 lb. pkg. 29c		
ICING SUGAR, cane		
3 lbs. 25c		
PINEAPPLE, sliced		
3 tins 33c		
Princess Soap Flakes		
2 pkgs. 35c		

APPLES	ONIONS	ORANGES	LEMONS	GRAPE FRUIT	ORANGES	CARROTS
Romes Case \$1.69	10 lbs. 25c	Family Size, 2 Doz. 45c	Large Size, doz. - 39c	Texas, Each - 5c	Large size, doz. - 39c	Washed, 8 lbs. - 25c

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The concluding part of the convention was the election of officers for the ensuing year: G. C. Duncan, of the Drumheller Mail was elected president, succeeding H. G. Thunnell of the Viking News; first vice-president, H. T. Halliwell, Coleman Journal; second vice-president, F. P. Galbraith, Red Deer Advocate; secretary-treasurer, H. G. McGree, Hanna Herald (re-elected); executive, R. C. Jessup, Macleod Gazette; C. L. Dunford, Sylvan Lake News; H. J. Ford, Lacombe Globe; A. B. Ennis, Leduc Representative; and A. J. Almut, Alliance Times.

It was decided to change the annual meeting date from the month of January to October each year.

Chas. A. Barber, Chilliwack, B.C., president of the Canadian Weekly Newspaper Association, addressed the gathering, giving an entertaining account of his trip to South Africa last year where he attended the Imperial Press conference.

The convention went on record in paying tribute to Colin G. Groff, late Publicity Commissioner for Alberta, for his unbiased and fair treatment given the weekly newspapers of the province during his term of office. Special vote of thanks was passed to the hosts, speakers and others who had contributed to the success of the gathering.

\$2500 in cash prizes for PICTURES-AT-NIGHT

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CAMERON STUDIO and GIFT SHOP

F. E. McLeod

MEN'S PULLOVER MITTS
Horsehide—pair 89c
Soft, Pliable and very serviceable. Welled seams and tight fitting wrist.

MEN'S GREY WOOL SOCKS
pair 29c
A popular medium weight sock. They have red or blue toes and heels.

MEN'S O. V. COMBINATIONS
Clearing \$1.69
Medium weight underwear with rayon stripe. They are buttoned or no button style as you prefer. Sizes 36 to 44.

MEN'S FLEECE UNDERSHIRTS
Remnants—35c
Regular 85c. Sizes 34 to 36. Good quality. They're counter soiled.

BOYS' FLEECE COMBINATIONS, Suit 95c
Good quality. White fleece light fitting wrists and ankles. Sizes 24 to 28.

BIG NEWS GOLDEN FLEECE WOOL
Ball 10c
Four ply yarn, fourteen colors. A popular knitting wool at a sale price.

REVERSIBLE WOOL TROWS
They're all wool and satin bound.
Clearing Each \$5.95
Lovely two-tone bed throws delightfully soft and fluffy. Large size.

MID-WINTER CLEARANCE SALE

Sale! Smart New Frocks

Rough crepe dresses in very smart new fashions. Long sleeves. Colors: blue, rust, green, brown. Sizes 14 - 20. **\$2.85**

OTTAWA VALLEY WOOL BLANKETS, Clearing \$6.55
Large double-bed size beautiful fluffy all-wool blankets with "cord striped" ends, whipped singly.

ECRU STRIPED TOWELS
Size 18 x 36
A handy size for family use. Ecu with lengthwise stripes in red. Regular 50c pair.
Clearing 39c pair

36 INCH HEAVY WHITE FLANNELETTE
Clearing yard 28c
Extra weight and deep fleece. A grand quality for sleepers and gowns.

BOYS' PULLOVER SWEATERS
\$1.35
V-neck all-wool, Monarch knit sweaters. Just the right weight to wear under a coat. 28 to 32. Colors: wine, blue, green.

GIRLS' BLACK SHOES
Clearing \$1.50
Gunmetal ties and patent straps with low heels. A good shoe for school wear. Fits easily under an over-shoe. Sizes 11 to 2.

F. E. McLeod

MEN'S ALL-WOOL JERSEYS
Clearing \$1.69
\$1.95 is our regular price for this popular coat, so handy to wear under your suit coat and comfortable as a house coat. Sizes 36 to 44.

MEN'S HEATHER WORSTED SOCKS pair 50c
A leader value. Caldwell's all-wool worsted in brown heather. Sizes 8 to 11.

MEN'S NAVY OVERCOATS
Clearing \$13.95
5 coats to sell, and at this remarkable price they should go quickly. Half lined Guard models. Sizes 36 to 38.

SILK CREPE HOSE
Pair 59c
Popular winter coats in this good looking service crepe hose. Sizes 9 to 10.

STAMPED MAT PATTERNS
45c to 75c
New patterns just received. Popular designs.

O. V. RUG WOOL
2 ounces 15c
All-wool rug yarn in the wanted shades.

BIG REDUCTIONS — WOMEN'S COATS, Clearing \$8.75, \$11.75, \$15.00, to \$23.00

It's good economy to buy a coat now when you save more than one third. They're smart, new styles, fashionable wool coatings, luxuriant furs, crepe linings. Sizes 14 to 42.

COSY WAFFLE KNIT VESTS AND PANTIES
Each 39c or 2 for 75c
They're snug fitting in a waffle stitch with rayon stripe. Vests have narrow shoulder straps and the panties are fitted with elastic waist.

CLEARING WOMEN'S FELT HATS—\$1.50
Choose any hat in stock as they're all marked at this price to clear. Navy, brown, green, and black.

CHILDREN'S 3-BUCKLE OVERSHOES, Clearing \$1.69
Warm overshoes in black and brown. Sizes 5 to 9.

Grocery Department

CALIFORNIA NAVEL ORANGES—Doz. 25c and 35c
CALIFORNIA FRESH CELERY—lb. 12c
APPLES Fine red, ripe fruit \$1.75 to \$2.50
COFFEE—Sunset Blend, lb. 25c
COFFEE—Brands 3 lb. package with cup and saucer 89c
LOCAL VEGETABLES Potatoes, Carrots, Turnips
BUTTER—Dairy, Special lb. 20c

TEA

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Disease and Death

Technicians, engineers and scientists have said more than once recently that research work in the laboratories and workshops of the world have brought such a rich harvest in discoveries that the fruits of their work have far outrun man's ability to turn them to immediate use in enrichment of everyday life. This is said, is largely due to the lack of sufficient purchasing power.

This general premise is undoubtedly correct. Discoveries in the scientific realm during the past decade have been overwhelming in number, scope and future potentiality, and the most interesting and important is the last-mentioned. For, experience shows that every new discovery opens up wide vistas for future research, paving the way for further discoveries and yielding visions of more and greater uses which the earlier experiments can be made to yield for the comfort and welfare of humanity. There is, at any rate at present, no cul de sac in the scientific field.

Not only is there no apparent terminal, but the more the scientist and research worker reveals, the more he is assured that he knows very little, that so far the surface has been barely scratched, and that the realms yet to be uncovered and conquered are almost illimitable. The finite knowledge of the present points far into the infinite with inexhaustible treasures yet to find.

While this is true in all fields of scientific discovery, in no sphere is it more true than in the realm of medical science. Medical science and surgical skill have made tremendous and important advances in the past few years, but while much new and interesting methods of preventing, curing and eradicating disease have been discovered and pressed into service for the alleviation of suffering and prolongation of life, just about enough has been achieved to demonstrate that much more will be learned and much greater results will be accomplished in the next few years, provided the work that is now being prosecuted with vigor and enthusiasm is not subjected to some unforeseen setback.

Until quite recently scientists in the medical and surgical fields have been chiefly concerned with perfection of technique in applying known methods for control and eradication of disease, with preventive and safeguarding devices and practices, with the search for cures for the most prevalent killers, such as heart disease and cancer and with the development of palliatives for pain.

In all these fields remarkable work has been done as is easily demonstrable in the case of tuberculosis. The progress that has been made in dealing with this and other diseases in the prevention of loss of life in maternity and in the protection of children in the first few months of life, even since the Great War, has resulted in increasing the span of life expectancy, though, to date, this is principally due to the savings that have been made in infant mortality.

However, it appears that we may be upon the threshold of further discoveries that will benefit mankind in the later years of life's span. A vigorous drive is being made by science against those diseases which are taking heavy toll in middle life and old age, and more especially is the hunt for an antidote to that great and painful scourge, cancer, in full cry.

While still in the experimental stages, "enol" has brought hope that a specific cure for cancer has been uncovered. It has been demonstrated that at least this new remedy has robbed the disease of some of its attendant pain and there are hopes that it may turn out to be the long-sought cure. It should be pointed out, however, lest disappointment ensue, that the efficacy of enol as a definite cure remains to be proven.

Experimentation with enol, so far, is confined to a two year period and eminent practitioners declare that another three years must elapse before its success or failure can be pronounced.

While the object of all this work is prolonging the span of human life, medical science is not satisfied with such great achievements as research has already yielded, but is looking farther ahead, even to the extent of endeavoring to lift the veil which shrouds the mysteries of life and death.

Experiments along this line have yielded extraordinary results. Dr. Alexis Carrel of the Rockefeller Institute, for example, has kept a chicken's heart alive, apart from the body, for 24 years and this scientist recently predicted the possibility of suspending human life and starting it again several centuries later. Such experiments open up a vista of advancing possibilities, but this same authority, while confident of great advances in the future expresses his firm conviction that "there is no hope of ever conquering senescence and death," though admitting the possibility of suppressing disease entirely in the future.

In other words man may conquer disease, but he will not be given dominion over natural decay and eventual death, in the opinion of this noted savant.

Holds Responsible Post

New Zealand High Commissioner Was Once London Constable

The life story of the new high commissioner for New Zealand in England reads like one of those early tales of men who went out to the colonies and made good. It is a story with a happy ending.

William C. Jordan is going back in some triumph to London, the city of his humble birth, a city whose streets he once walked—in blue. Mr. Jordan has been alternately coachman, postal clerk and police constable. In 1904 he migrated to New Zealand and tried farming, then business. In 1912 he became M.P. for Manakau, and was president of the New Zealand Labor Party for 10 years.

Mr. Jordan's story is as good an argument for democracy as we have run across for some time.—Hamilton Herald.

Money In Stone

Monumental and ornamental stone masons in Saskatchewan earned \$28,026 in salaries and wages during 1934 while the value of their products was estimated at \$72,214.

Addis Ababa is the chief coffee market in the interior of Ethiopia.

Ease Heart Trouble

New Drug Claimed To Ease Pain Of Angina Pectoris

Instantaneous relief for the pain of angina pectoris and complete cure for the disease itself was claimed by Dr. John C. Krantz, Jr., of the University of Maryland, in a report which he read to the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

The cure, he said, is a drug called trichloroethylene, one cubic centimetre of which is snuffed into the nose when the pains and heart compression of angina pectoris begin. It gives relief within one second.

Used to date on 20 human patients, Dr. Krantz said it had given permanent relief to 18 of them. He explained these 18 were apparently cured, with no other treatment. The other two cases failed to benefit, he said.

Victim Of Science

Inoculation Slip Causes Death Of Assistant In Laboratory

Medical science claimed the life of Anna Pabst, young laboratory assistant at the National Institute of Health, who contracted meningitis in line of duty.

Miss Pabst, an experienced technician and co-author of several scientific articles, was inoculating an animal with meningitis culture on December 17, when the animal moved and some of the culture squirted into her eye.

In imitation of the American magazine Esquire, an English publisher has launched one called Men Only. As far as picking punk names is concerned, it looks like a dead heat.

Education helps. If you couldn't read you wouldn't know what wrongs you are enduring.

The "Pony Express" was not run with ponies, but with the most vicious breed of horses.

Trans-Atlantic Air Service

1936 To Inaugurate Biggest Advance In History Of Flying

The Santa Maria will take wing this year. Trans-Atlantic transport service by airplane will be in the making in the next summer flight of an air-liner across the ocean over which Christopher Columbus sailed his flagship almost 450 years ago.

With the projected voyage will come fresh international routes for markets as the world's air routes become trade routes.

This year, say air transport companies, will be the biggest in the history of flying since the Wright brothers lifted his like, speeded and contraption off the sands at Kitty Hawk in 1901.

A 25-ton flying boat of Pan-American Airways will ease out over the Atlantic under the impetus of four 1,000-horsepower engines, the course of the future trans-Atlantic air voyager.

American airplanes in the transport field already are prepared to inaugurate airmail and passenger service.

The routes are not the problem. It is competition. United States aviation on the Atlantic meets the challenge of those nations which will be United States neighbors when the service gets underway.

The United States does not "nationalize" subsidize heavily in its commercial air fleets. In place of that, American industry and business men have effected a "commercial nationalization."

The one trans-ocean air transport company of which the United States boasts is financed jointly by widespread American industry and business interests.

Its flying boats were built behind locked doors. The secrets of their construction have not been divulged. Although thumbs were turned down on trading of patents with other nations' air lines, trans-Atlantic fleets will be of necessity the result of co-operative effort. Otherwise ports of entry could be barred.

Charting flights probably will start about mid-year, inauguration of airmail service is likely before 1936 closes, and carrying of passengers soon will follow, aviation leaders predict.

Remains Of Early Civilization

Workmen Excavating For Olympic Village May Find Roman Remains

Traces of an Indo-Germanic settlement, believed to date back 4,000 years, have been brought to light by workmen excavating ground at Doberitz, Germany, for the Olympic village destined to house the athletes during the forthcoming international games.

Five tombs, a number of crude pickaxes, and a quantity of earthenware were found. The relics were believed to have been left by a tribe, which during the westward migration of Indo-Germanic peoples, settled for a brief period in the spot.

Price Will Be High

Certified Grades Of Crested Wheat Grass Are Available

Work at the Dominion Forage Crops Laboratory at Saskatoon during the month of November, 1935, was largely confined to purchasing seed supplies for use in connection with the various projects of grass development to be undertaken in the spring of 1936 under the Prairie Farm Rehabilitation Act. Moderate quantities of registered and certified grades of crested wheat grass are available, but at a relatively high price. There are adequate supplies of seed of other grasses and legumes available.

Superior To City Man

Country Man Healthier And Has Higher Mental Claims Health Officer

The physique of the country man is superior to that of the townsman. His intelligence is of a higher order. Men of light and leading are born in the country. Rutland, Eng., least urbanized and the smallest of all counties, has contributed per square mile more to British genius than any other administrative area, according to Dr. Christopher Rolleston, medical officer for the county.

Sending Boys To Queensland Arrangements are being made to send 10 Boy Scouts to Queensland every month from Great Britain. This announcement was made by the Settlers' League. In London negotiations are still in progress with federal government for financial assistance, under the settlers' agreement, for the boys' passage to Queensland. On arrival, the boys will be given occupations, chiefly in farming.

Should Stand By League

The business of this country says the Manchester Guardian is to stand with the members of the League, confirming their loyalty, giving them all the evidence that it can of its friendship—both in this and in a broader field, for we ought to turn to good use this new international unity—and not maintain patently the principle that the League must hold on until justice is done.

Seven Years' Agony

First Bottle Brought Relief From Painful Rheumatism

Read this letter: "I had rheumatism for seven years and never let me night or day, pains something awful. I tried everything I could get, but nothing did me any good till I got Salsalax. And not started to take it a week till I was a lot better, and am getting better all the time, and have not finished the first bottle. I can go to bed and don't have any pain, and I feel like I had been in a new world. I will sure recommend it to anyone that has rheumatism."

If you suffer from rheumatism, lumbago or sciatica start taking Salsalax Mineral Salts now. At all drug stores—enough for 10 weeks' treatment 60c.

Living In Caves

More than 1,200 persons make their homes in artificial caverns their ancestors cut out of the limestone cliffs bordering the Loire river in France. Many dwellings are equipped with gas, electricity and radios.

Makes No Difference

Another couple has been married in an airplane. The consensus of opinion among our bachelor friends is that the groom comes down to earth just as quickly as though the ceremony took place on the ground.



ASK YOUR DOCTOR FIRST, MOTHER

Before You Give Your Child an Unknown Remedy to Take

Every day, unthinkingly, mothers take the advice of unqualified persons—instead of their doctors—on remedies for their children. If they knew what the scientists know, they would never take this chance.

Doctors Say PHILLIPS' For Your Child

When it comes to the frequently-used "milk of magnesia," doctors, for over 50 years, have said "PHILLIPS' Milk of Magnesia" is the safe remedy for your child.

Remember this—And Always Say "Phillips' When You Buy. Your child deserves it, for you owe your child the best. Get it—Genuine Phillips' Milk of Magnesia.

Also in Tablet Form: Phillips' Milk of Magnesia Tablets. Each tiny tablet contains 1/4 grain of pure, non-habit-forming, non-toxic Phillips' Milk of Magnesia.

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Stream Of Gold Yellow Stream Of Wealth From Canadian Mines

Canada's mining industry surveyed two new high marks in the river of gold that has been rising across the country for the last 80 years. It viewed the future with prospect of still greater achievement in 1936.

The yellow stream of wealth made new records in production and value, added 73,313 ounces of metal to its volume and more than \$13,000,000 to its value, with an output of 3,390,664 ounces, worth \$115,768,466. Last year's production was 2,972,974 ounces, its value \$102,536,553.

In 1935 value of Canadian gold production was the highest in the world, a record which it held for the second consecutive high mark, but a drop in production between 1929 and 1934, 3,944,387 ounces, and the figure broke the continuity of the rise in volume.

Two factors lent hope 1936 would be a greater year. The high price launched in 1936 when the United States followed Great Britain off the gold standard has permitted owners of mines with low-grade ore to resume operations at a profit. It has also resulted in development of new mines by persons eager to take advantage of the boom in value.

The Canadian list in work done last year by the geological survey of Canada which sent 900 men into the field to explore and map areas in which prospectors may hope to meet with success. The survey spent \$1,000,000 provided by parliament as part of the appropriation under the supplementary public works act.

Snow Traps Golden Eagle

Unable To Rise From Ground After Diving For Rabbit

A giant golden eagle was killed near Frida, Alta., when it was unable to take off in soft snow after diving for a rabbit. Clayton Tompkins, of Calgary, shot the bird as it thrashed around in the drifts. The eagle had a wing spread of seven feet, two inches.

The bird was found for a take-off, the eagle must spring into the air sufficiently for the wings to clear the ground. The deep, soft snow prevented the preliminary jump and each successive effort served only to heighten the bird's predicament.

Produce Small Paintings

Amateur English Artist Puts 42 On Postage Stamp

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Every time we see a woman with a wrist watch we are curious to know what time it says.

Was Remarkable Figure

Venezuela's Late President Will Be Hard To Replace

The most powerful Dictator in South America is dead. With the passing of Juan Vicente Gomez, President of Venezuela, there vanishes from the scene one of the most remarkable figures of contemporary politics. Born a cattleman, he joined Cipriano Castro in a revolution which was successful and which put the beetle-browed little Castro in the presidential chair. Gomez was content to remain his chief aide, but he commanded the army and he was in reality the power behind the throne.

When C. went away on leave of absence in 1908 he signed his own dismissal, for Gomez warned him not to return, pretending to be much concerned about rumors of plots against Castro's life!

Ever since then Gomez has ruled Venezuela with an iron hand, smashing ruthlessly any attempt against his power, giving the country a settled policy, building up its finances—Venezuela is the only nation in the world without a nickel of external debt—and making things attractive for foreign capital, so that British investments in the country increased from \$45,550,000 to \$131,860,980 in the four-year period prior to depression, and in 1933 the value of her exports was five times that of her imports.

The masterful dictator disliked crowds, and seldom went to the capital, Caracas, preferring to live a lonely and secluded life on his country estate. Many Venezuelans have never seen him. But he had his ear to the ground 24 hours a day, and he knew everything that was going on. He gave his country a long period of peace, but of course he made hosts of enemies, for his methods were simple but drastic. Those he could catch, he shot; those who could escape from the country remained in exile. But in losing Gomez Venezuela has lost a ruler it will be extremely difficult to replace.—Montreal Star.

Canned Blood

Weird Discovery Listed As Major Accomplishment Of 1935

The weirdest discovery of the year—"canned" blood—was listed by professional authority as medicine's foremost accomplishment of 1935. A process of taking blood from the bodies of the dead and preserving it to save other lives through transfusions was placed first in a "year book of fame" compiled for the Associated Press by Dr. Morris Fishbein, editor of the Journal of the American Medical Association.

Russian doctors and chemists developed first rank for developing the "canning" method and using it successfully in more than 1,000 cases, the editor said.

MotORIZED PRAMS New Idea

Semi-Streamlined Carriages Have Appeared In London

MotORIZED prams or baby carriages, semi-streamlined, with the nursemaid walking with her hand on a throttle instead of pushing as of old, have become the rage in London's fashionable West End.

These new motorized prams are yielding to modern influences and babies of the rich ride in green, tan, or yellow vehicles, with the nurse, in some cases, attired to match.

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The Royal Bank of Canada

General Statement 30th November, 1935

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid up	\$ 35,000,000.00
Reserve fund	\$ 1,000,000.00
Balance of profits carried forward as per Profit and Loss Account	\$ 1,000,000.00
Dividends unclaimed	\$ 21,449,554.45
Dividend No. 19 (at 5% per annum) payable 2nd December, 1935	\$ 13,799.45
	\$ 700,000.00
Deposits by and balances due to Dominion Government	\$ 7,915,162.11
Deposits by and balances due to Provincial Governments	\$ 15,444,455.82
Deposits by the public not payable to order	\$ 194,357,143.74
Deposits by the public bearing interest, including interest accrued to date of statement	\$ 461,368,432.76
Deposits by and balances due to other chartered banks in Canada	\$ 859,958.76
Deposits by and balances due to banks and banking corporations in the United Kingdom and foreign countries	\$ 8,733,320.16
Notes of the bank in circulation	\$ 488,364,512.51
Acceptances and Letters of Credit outstanding	\$ 32,564,425.74
Liabilities on the public not included under the foregoing heads	\$ 33,879,498.69
	\$ 886,919,700.47

ASSETS

Gold held in Canada	\$ 2,483.16
Subsidiary coin held in Canada	\$ 1,200,977.43
Gold held elsewhere	\$ 2,483,581.46
Subsidiary coin held elsewhere	\$ 4,152,977.82
Notes of Bank of Canada	\$ 4,341,955.00
Notes of other chartered banks	\$ 1,591,584.86
Government and bank notes other than Canadian	\$ 14,648,448.52
Cheques on other banks	\$ 26,376,177.19
Deposits with and balances due by other chartered banks in Canada	\$ 2,129.80
Due by banks and banking correspondents elsewhere than in Canada	\$ 47,007,220.38
Dominion and Provincial Government direct and guaranteed securities maturing within two years, not exceeding market value, not exceeding market	\$ 67,385,528.67
Other Dominion and Provincial Government direct and guaranteed securities, not exceeding market	\$ 68,731,910.83
Canadian Municipal securities, not exceeding market	\$ 327,406,136.80
Public securities other than Canadian, not exceeding market	\$ 8,115,251.44
Other bonds, debentures and stocks, not exceeding market	\$ 13,195,913.64
Call and short (not exceeding 30 days) loans in Canada and elsewhere	\$ 26,376,679.93
Call and short (not exceeding 30 days) loans elsewhere in Canada on bonds, debentures and stocks and other securities of a sufficient marketable value to cover	\$ 19,216,857.96
	\$ 823,473,081.73

Current loans and discounts in Canada, not otherwise included, estimated less provided for: \$217,124,161.59
Loans to Provincial Governments, not exceeding market value, not exceeding market: \$34,780.46
Loans to cities, towns, municipalities and school districts: \$2,587,791.94
Current loans and discounts elsewhere in Canada, not otherwise included, estimated less provided for: \$8,189,967.42
Non-current loans, estimated less provided for: \$3,974,714.63

Bank premises, at not more than cost, less amounts written off: \$10,643,795.01
Real estate, other than bank premises: \$3,014,215.61
Mortgages on real estate sold by the bank: \$19,376,679.93
Loans to cities, towns, municipalities and school districts, under acceptance and letters of credit as per above: \$4,648,947.11
Shares of and loans to Provincial Governments: \$1,600,000.00
Deposits with the Minister of Finance for the security of note circulation: \$467,558.49
Other assets not included under the foregoing heads: \$886,919,700.47

NOTE.—The Royal Bank of Canada (France) has been incorporated under the laws of France to conduct the business of the Bank in Paris and the assets and liabilities of the Royal Bank of Canada (France) are included in the above General Statement.

M. WILSON, President and Managing Director. S. G. DOBSON, General Manager.

AUDITORS' REPORT
TO THE SHAREHOLDERS, THE ROYAL BANK OF CANADA:
We have examined the books and accounts of The Royal Bank of Canada at Head Office and at the offices with the certified true copy of the books and accounts of the Bank in Paris and the assets and liabilities of the Bank in France, and we find that the same are correct and in accordance with the true condition of the Bank as at 30th November, 1935, and it is as shown by the books of the Bank.

JAS. G. ROSE, C.A., Auditor.
W. G. THOMPSON, C.A., Auditor.
P. J. M. LEE, C.A., Auditor.

Montreal, Canada, December 24, 1935.

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

Balance of Profit and Loss Account, 30th November, 1934	\$ 1,506,364.99
Profits for the year ended 30th November, 1935, after making appropriations to Contingency Reserve, out of which Reserve provision for all bad and doubtful debts has been made	\$ 4,440,522.41
	\$ 5,946,927.40

APPROPRIATIONS AS FOLLOWS:
Dividend No. 19 (at 5% per annum) payable 2nd December, 1935: \$ 13,799.45
Dividend No. 18 (at 5% per annum) payable 2nd December, 1934: \$ 13,799.45
Dividend No. 17 (at 5% per annum) payable 2nd December, 1933: \$ 13,799.45
Reserve for Dominion and Provincial Government direct and guaranteed securities: \$ 1,000,000.00
Balance of Profit and Loss carried forward: \$ 1,000,000.00

Contribution to the Pension Fund Society: \$ 2,000,000.00
Appropriation for Bank Premises: \$ 10,643,795.01
Real estate, other than bank premises: \$ 3,014,215.61
Mortgages on real estate sold by the bank: \$ 19,376,679.93
Loans to cities, towns, municipalities and school districts, under acceptance and letters of credit as per above: \$ 4,648,947.11
Shares of and loans to Provincial Governments: \$ 1,600,000.00
Deposits with the Minister of Finance for the security of note circulation: \$ 467,558.49
Other assets not included under the foregoing heads: \$ 886,919,700.47

M. W. WILSON, President and Managing Director. S. G. DOBSON, General Manager.

Montreal, December 24, 1935.

Winter Roses</

A New Geological Picture Of Earth's Recent History Shows Water Level Changes

All the oceans of the earth were a mile below their present level in a new geological picture of the earth's recent history announced by the Geological Society of America on the eve of its annual meeting in New York.

To-day's oceans, all of them, are hipping over their edges, in a world far wetter than a few million years ago, and under the influence of a mechanism still only guessed at.

There is no sign of reason for believing that waters can rise still higher and engulf more dry land in a repetition of the Biblical flood. One basis of the Biblical flood stories might even be the mile rise of the oceans in the last few millions of years.

The unknown mechanism which raises and lowers the waters is believed to be glacial ice. It might also be aided by movements of the earth itself in which the basins of the oceans enlarge at times so that their water levels fall.

The new evidence for this recent low water level will be presented at the opening session of the society's meeting. It is based partly on the findings of a new deep sea punch, to be described by Charles Snowdon Figgott, of the Carnegie Institution of Washington.

This punch can be dropped on a line a mile and a half deep. Touching bottom, it detonates small charges of power, causing the punch to bite off a bit of the bottom. It bites rock as easily as mud.

It has brought to the surface an amazing story. Instead of the mud and sediments which should cover the ocean bottoms if they had been submerged for millions of years hitherto believed by geologists, the punch has brought up rocks, clipped off under water palisades, some as deep as those of the Grand Canyon.

The punch has revealed that the "continental" shelf of the oceans, the area a few miles to coasts of miles off shore, averaging about 600 feet deep, where the true ocean abyss begins, is full of deep canyons and valleys, like highlands bordering a sea.

The conclusion is that they are the ancient and true sea shores, their bottoms representing the former sea levels. These bottoms seem to average a mile below present sea level.

Deadly Level Crossing

Crossing Accidents Continue To Take Heavy Toll Of Life

Almost \$55,000,000 has been spent to make level crossings safer for the public, but crossing accidents continue to take a heavy toll, it was disclosed in information obtained from the board of railway commissioners.

The total number of accidents in the 11 months ended Nov. 30, was 214, which resulted in 104 deaths and injuries to 269, compared with 214 accidents, 81 deaths and 262 injuries in the 12 months ended Dec. 31, 1934.

Canada cannot hope to eliminate grade crossings for many generations, for there are 31,253. Of this number there are 2,612 with warnings or protective devices, and 28,641 unprotected.

Since the inauguration of the grade crossing fund in 1909 a total of \$34,958,968 has been expended on bridges, subways and warning devices at level crossings. Of this amount \$6,781,172 was contributed by the grade crossing fund, \$12,439,008 by the municipalities, and \$15,737,888 by the railways. In addition to this a considerable amount was sent by the railways and provinces of which the board of railway commissioners has no record.

Reform Law

Britain To Deal More Leniently With Offenders In Certain Cases

Commitment to prison has hitherto been automatic in Britain if an offender who is fined with the alternative of imprisonment fails to pay his fine. This also applies to such cases as failure to pay local taxes or a wife's maintenance.

Under the Money Payments Act of 1935, which will come into force February 1, 1936, the offender who fails to pay must be brought before the court a second time instead of being taken to jail. Imprisonment will be a last resort when the magistrates, after inquiring into the means of the defaulter, become convinced of his bad faith.

The result will be that the offender who can pay but refuses will still go to jail, but the destitute will retain their liberty.

Got Value Anyway

A story is told of a Sunday dinner at which the family was criticizing the church service all had attended. Father objected to the sermon and mother thought it time they hired a new organist. Daughter was severe on the defects of the choir. The son of the house listened uneasily to all this criticism. Finally he put in his word, "After all dad, I think it was a lot for a cent."

Atlantic Air Service

Many Things To Be Considered Before It Is Started

The success of Pan-American Airways in establishing a trans-Pacific air service doubtless spurred the movement to establish a similar service across the Atlantic, which will be greatly facilitated by the agreement that has been signed by the United States and Canada, Great Britain and the Irish Free State.

That the broader Pacific should have been conquered before the Atlantic, beyond which lie our principal commercial connections, was due in part to the necessity in the latter case of getting several countries to permit the landing of foreign planes on their soil. All of the stops on the trans-Pacific flight are on territory under American sovereignty, although an extension of the service from Manila to China is being prepared.

While weather conditions in the North Atlantic, at certain seasons of the year, are difficult to negotiate, there is not a "jump" on either route from London to New York, or Newfoundland, or on the route from London to New York, via the Azores and Bermuda, as long as the "hop" of 2,400 miles from San Francisco to Honolulu, which the Pan-American clipper has to make.

There would seem to be no reason why, if the service across the Atlantic is planned and carried out as carefully as that across the Pacific was, this means of travel between Europe and America should not be safe and popular. Detroit Free Press.

Origin Is A Mystery

No One Really Knows How Turkey Got Its Name

Tradition has it that the first turkey was taken to "England" by one Sebastian Cabot, chief of the expedition to New York, via the Azores and Bermuda, as long as the "hop" of 2,400 miles from San Francisco to Honolulu, which the Pan-American clipper has to make.

It is a native of North America, where it was discovered by the early Spanish navigators. Exactly how it got its name is a mystery. Some authorities suggest that the bird christened itself, by its constant retteration of a sound that, meaning "turkey," was permitted "When you are tackling your turkey, you may like to remind the company that the bird's succulent meat was so highly esteemed by sixteenth century churchmen that, by Archbishop Cranmer's orders, only "one dish of turkey" was permitted at feasts and banquets.

The Driver's Duty

Is To Recognize Potential Danger At All Times

Where two lines involved the blame very likely rests wholly on one, and that leads to a word of commiseration for the innocent driver whose outing has been spoiled, whose property has been damaged and whose life as well as the lives of those accompanying him have been placed in jeopardy. Until every one in control of an automobile comes to recognize the potential danger and to realize and to make that realization effective—that others might have rights, there will always be worry over highway hazards. Common neighborliness demands this recognition and this realization.

Re-Forested From Air

Tree Seeds Dropped From Plane Grow On Island

In making its first non-stop flight from the mainland to Hawaii, the U.S. army airplane Bird of Paradise scattered some seeds over a barren portion of the island of Kauai. That was in 1920.

This week a "mystery forest" of thousands of kaka trees was discovered by a group of boys building trails in Waimea canyon. The trees are native to New Zealand and not to Hawaii; therefore their presence was an enigma until the announcement was made. Planting had been done from the air in the mountainous portion through army co-operation with the territorial forestry board.

Canada's Timothy

It is estimated that there are now about 4,000,000 pounds of Canadian timothy seed available for export and in order to increase the use of this Canadian grown timothy seed in Scotland, arrangements have been made at all the Scottish agricultural colleges to test the seed against that imported from other countries.

Napoleon's Arc de Triomphe, largest and most commemorative arch in the world, will celebrate its 100th anniversary July 29, 1936. It was completed during the reign of Louis Philippe.

More Shoes Being Made

Making A Record Comeback After Slump In Production

When the gain in the output of shoes failed, a few years ago, to keep pace with the increase in automobile production it was explained that practically no one would wear more and hence shoes lasted a lot longer. It was predicted that the day would come when the human pedal extremities would atrophy through lack of use and become as superfluous as the vestigial appendix.

Like many other dire predictions this belongs to the class which does not happen and is not likely to. The automobile, it is now plain, is making a record comeback. And shoes are doing the same thing.

Shoe trade authorities, quoted by Dun & Bradstreet, Inc., assert that the 1935 shoe output will be tops for all time, reaching a total of 368,000,000 pairs, compared with a previous high of 361,000,000 pairs in 1929. This makes shoes one of the first major industries to pass its pre-depression peak. Here, certainly, is fundamental recovery, from the ground up! All God's children may not yet have shoes, but with almost three pairs produced for each American, there's nothing to be afraid of.

Interesting in the shoe statistics is the preponderance of the feminine. The 1930 census showed 102 males in the United States for each 100 females, but for many years the shoe trade has turned out some 40 per cent more shoes for women than for men. Is it because women take more and shorter steps and hence are harder on their footwear? The more reasonable explanation is style. For most men shoes are just shoes; for women they are an article of adornment as well as utility. So here is another instance in which fashion is the life of trade—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Air Ambulance

Rush Patients To Hospitals In Britain By Aeroplane

Britain has inaugurated a new challenge to germs and sickness—by air and sea. Purely white and bearing a red cross on its fuselage, the first regular air ambulance in Great Britain has just been released. It has been built and equipped by the Hon. Mrs. Victor Bruce, the woman, not because of the many calls received for airplanes to rush invalids to hospitals or nursing homes, both in Britain and abroad. Many Harley street specialists and British Red Cross officials saw a demonstration at the inauguration.

Clang! Clang! Clang! A gong sounded in a hangar at Croydon airport. Mechanics, pilot and wireless operator dashed along and in a few moments the new ambulance machine was standing on the tarmac. A motor ambulance rushed up and within 15 minutes, the airplane was in the air carrying an "invalid" on a specially fitted bed, a doctor and nurse in attendance.

The machine will be available day and night. Patients can be picked up anywhere by road and taken to Croydon with the least delay. The cabin of the air ambulance is automatically heated and ventilated. The provision of a bed gives greater comfort to the patient than is possible by the ordinary stretcher.

Trying A New Diet

Gandhi Now Eats Bitter Leaves And Sour Fruit

Mahatma Gandhi is trying a new diet, leaves and oil cake. Gandhi is stated to be determined to eat nothing with fat. Because of this he now sits down to a plateful of mown (margosa) leaves—one of the bitterest varieties—and a few pieces of oil cake. This is followed by a small glass of diluted tamarind juice. Leaves of the Margosa, which is valuable for the medicinal quality of its bark and the oil of its seeds, are very bitter, while tamarind is so sour a juice that a normal person can hardly take it. Threatening to abstain even from a little goat's milk, just to see whether he can live on fruits and vegetables only, Gandhi has already suffered a slight illness through his latest experiment, but he persists in it. Not content with disciplining himself, the Mahatma has prescribed his diet for the workers in his colony of the All India Village Industries Association. But they do not wish it. Not even the members of the Congress Working Committee were spared when they visited him.

Australia Is Happy

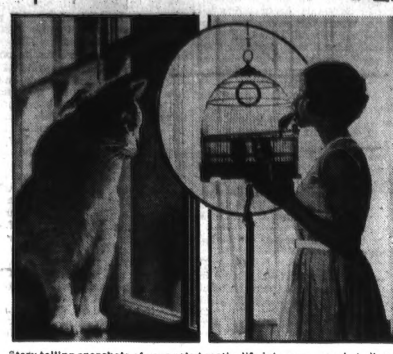
Enjoying Industrial Peace And Season Promises To Be Good

Australia goes happier. The war cloud is not big enough to dim the sunshine. Throughout the Commonwealth, except for one or two relatively trifling local disputes, there is industrial peace and progress. The unemployed are rapidly getting back to their old jobs and the demands for maintenance are weaker. Improving prices for primary exports have put new heart into the rural districts and the season promises abundance. Government finances are more satisfactory than they have been for six years—Australian Labor.

A little man thinks he aches just as much as a big man.

The SNAPSHOT GUILD

DON'T FORGET YOUR PETS



Story telling snapshots of your pets breathe life into your snapshot album.

Camera owners who have taken pictures of their pets always find on looking back over their snapshot albums, that the pictures recall events of bygone years which played an important part in their happiness, and they are mighty glad to have them. So, here are a few ideas for taking such pictures.

If your pet, for instance, has learned some tricks why not make a series of snaps—a "lay-out" or "strip" as a series of pictures is often referred to in the photographic or art departments of newspapers. Perhaps your dog has been taught to sit up, "roll over" or "speak" before receiving his daily bread or a morsel of candy. Snaps of "snip" doing these tricks and mounted in your album as a "strip" across the page will add to the interest and variety of your collection.

You can take such pictures with almost any camera. Of course, if "Snip" displays considerable speed when he "rolls over" you will probably have to shoot outdoors at a shutter speed of about 1/100 second. Where you set your diaphragm opening at this shutter speed depends much on your lighting. The brighter the scene the more you can "stop down" to get greater depth of focus. When in doubt use the larger diaphragm opening for it is always

better to overexpose a little than to underexpose. If the pet is your child's companion, be sure to snap an interesting story-telling picture of the two pals at play. Your five-year-old will probably not appreciate the value of such a picture now but in later years he will thank you for preserving for him those happy days of childhood.

Undoubtedly your cat—alley or otherwise—has his favorite lounging spot in the house, or favorite "look-out" such as that of Mr. J. Thomas Cat, pictured above. Have you ever thought of taking such a picture? Believe it or not, it won't quite a substantial prize in a national snapshot contest a few years ago.

And don't overlook the canary, the wren, love birds, Jimmie's pet rabbits and the many other animals and birds of various and sometimes strange types and breeds adopted by those who favor the unusual. It's perfectly all right to dress up the cat or dog in glasses, cap, pipe, or shoe him unceremoniously into a boot or shoe, if the unfortunate animal is small enough to be shoved, but pictures of that type are not long lived as far as enduring interest is concerned. It's the snapshot that tells a story or has human interest appeal that really breathes life into an album.

JOHN VAN GUILDER

Will Make Safer Flying

New Equipment For Planes Takes Ice Off Wings

With a refrigerated wind tunnel in Akron, Ohio, Dr. W. C. Geer subjected parts of airplanes to icy blasts, noted exactly how sleet forms and how it lowers the efficiency of struts, wings, fins and propellers. Out of this work has come a kind of rubber overcoat which fits over the leading edge of a wing and which is rhythmically inflated, so that as it alternately heaves and collapses it breaks off the ice. Some of our air transport companies have already adopted this invention. The rights to it were now in the air because ice may deform surfaces must be regarded as part of the price that they are forced to pay for our technical education. In another year or two they will cease to alarm, and the machine that is not equipped with "de-icers" will be classed with the steamer that has no pumps to combat rising water in her leaking hold.

Services Not Required

A conscientious little girl was explaining to her younger brother that it is wrong to work on Sunday. "Well, policemen work on Sunday," said the boy. "Don't they go to heaven?" "No," replied his sister. "They do not need policemen up there."

It is said that the tiger has a more injurious bite than the lion. Some body must have gone to great pains to find that out.

Armament and allied industries in Czechoslovakia are booming.

Value Of Field Crops

Increased Valuation Shown For B.C., Saskatchewan and New Brunswick

Although the value of the principal field crops of Canada in 1935 is estimated at a seven per cent. decrease compared with 1934, increased valuations are shown for British Columbia, Saskatchewan, and New Brunswick. The other provinces have lower valuations than in 1934. In Quebec, the decline of about \$12,600,000 is largely accounted for by the lower value placed on hay and clover. Much the same situation exists in Ontario, but, since very little of the hay crop is in the effect on the farmer's cash income is slight. In fact, the low values make live stock feeding more profitable.

The decline of about \$19,000,000 in Manitoba is mainly due to the effects of rust on the grain yields, and in Alberta there was a drop of nearly \$17,000,000 in Saskatchewan is due to the improved grain harvests. British Columbia shows a slight betterment in 1935 over the valuation of 1934.

Forger's Work Preserved

Robert Spring, once a clerk in Washington, D.C., and a famous forger, made such interesting copies of George Washington's signature that they now have a value of their own among autograph collectors.

"An awful lot of girls are stuck on me."

"Yes; they must be an awful lot."

Brazil now has the largest number of Japanese outside Japan.

Applique Is Easy Needlework



You're in for a real "dutch treat" when you invite this boy and girl from the land of windmills to live up your home and household linens. So easy to do a combination of applique and outline stitch, patches for their clothes may be selected from any gay cotton scraps you have on hand. You'll find they make both colorful and amusing decoration for tea-clothes, breakfast sets, cushions and scarves.

In pattern book you will find a transfer pattern of four figures averaging 3 1/2 x 5 inches, applique patches for their clothes, four motifs 2 1/2 x 2 1/2 inches, color suggestions, material requirements, illustrations of all stitches needed.

To obtain this pattern send 20 cents in stamps or coin (coin preferred) to Household Arts Dept. Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermott Ave. E., Winnipeg.

There is no Alice Brooks pattern book published.

Annual Cost To Canada Of Its Governing Body Runs Into High Figures

To Stabilize Agriculture

West Will Plant Millions Of Trees This Year

Western Canada is bringing the forest to its farmers to stabilize its agriculture.

Providing shade in summer, shield in winter and aiding agrarians in their war on drought and soil drifting, 145,000,000 trees have been planted as shelter belts on 55,000 farms in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta in 35 years of systematic planting. Five million more will be planted in 1936.

Norman M. Ross, chief of the tree planting division of the federal forest nursery station at Indian Head, and his assistant, C. A. Edwards, dipped into facts and figures and found the love of trees brought by farmers from older settled areas provides the incentive for the tree-planting program which is proving its value in dollars and cents to-day to modern farmers.

To the credit of the tree planting program was placed better farm gardens, adequate protection against windstorms, improved appearance and added home comfort, retention of snow moisture, an aid in growing fruit successfully, protection for stock and poultry, attraction for bird life, protection against drought and provision of small fuel.

Fifty thousand trees were planted in 1901, first year the federal government directed the work. Since then, Manitoba has planted 18,700,230 broadleaf and 344,683 evergreens on 7,924 farms; Saskatchewan counted 58,785,970 broadleaf and 1,781,315 evergreens on 32,705 farms and Alberta records showed 37,879,855 broadleaf and 661,370 evergreens on 15,126 farms.

Restocking Fish Streams

A New Policy To Attract The Tourist Trade

A virtually new policy to attract tourists to centres of population across Canada is being prepared by the government to meet the vexed problem produced by the modern time advancement of transport, better roads and the motor car.

Millions of dollars in tourist trade, chiefly from the United States, are at stake. The motto with which the situation is being attacked is "sport fishing is the best attraction to slow up the speed of the tourist and prolong his visit."

The program will go further than one for heavy fishing, but will encourage water so far as good sport is concerned. Both have been carried on in recent years because of the depletion of hitherto isolated districts which became easy of access. Depending on the conditions of the water, either small fry or the more fully grown fish have been used in restocking.

Two outstanding successes in stocking have occurred in Jasper Park. Speckled trout was introduced in Medicine Lake shortly after 1925 and Rainbow and Kamloops trout in Amethyst Lake more recently.

Details of the new policy will be completed shortly. The system in the state of New Jersey of placing half-grown fish in her deteriorated streams is frowned upon in Canada, however, as too costly and destructive to the sporting instinct of those who are prone to wield the rod.

Finger Served As Clue

Severed In Holdup Aided Police In Capturing Bandit

A severed finger has resulted in a four-year labor sentence being passed on a man for a crime near Zanzibar. The finger, preserved in a pickle jar, was the only clue which the Zanzibar police had in their investigation of a case of burglary with violence. An isolated Arab shop in a country district had been entered by four men who attacked the proprietor. The Arab used a knife to defend himself and next morning a finger was found on the floor by the police. A print was carefully taken from it and the finger preserved. The police then discovered a man with a very swollen hand who had a finger missing. His identity was proved by the finger print bureau.

Canadian Maples In England

Trees To Be Planted In Boy Scouts' Training Ground

Twelve Canadian Maple trees are being sent to England by the Dominion Executive Board of the Boy Scouts Association to be planted in Gilwell Park, the famous leadership training ground of the Boy Scouts, in memory of the visit to Canada last year of Lord Baden-Powell of Gilwell, Chief Scout of the World. A tablet will be erected near the trees indicating their origin. The funds for these maples were obtained through the generous contributions of members of the Council who also defrayed the cost of the loving cup presented to the Earl of Beaconsburg, Chief Scout for Canada, during his term at governor-general.

Submarines In North Sea

German submarines operated in the North Sea for the first time since 1919. The signal station at Malmø reported six German submarines were in the direction of the Cattergat and the North Sea, lying between Sweden and Denmark.

The radio will never take the place of newspapers. You can't live the shelves with sound waves.

Southern Rhodesia threatening to license its tobacco growers.

Government comes high in Canada, both in the number of its legislators and the financial compensation given to them. To determine and direct the destinies of 11,000,000 people, Canada has no fewer than 384 representatives in its various parliamentary spheres, or a per capita rate of about one "statesman" to every 12,500 of population. Of this number, 764 are elected and 120 appointed.

Equally rich is Canada in ministers of the crown, there being an even 100 distributed among one Dominion and nine provincial governments. The annual cost to the country in seasonal indemnities, ministers' salaries and allowances for speakers approximates \$130,000.

Only the Dominion parliament and the legislature of Quebec continue the appointed upper house with an elected common; seven provinces have only one chamber, elected by popular vote. These are Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Ontario, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia. The third parliamentary system exists in Prince Edward Island where one-half of the legislature is elected by adult suffrage, while the other half is chosen by vote of property-owners.

In the Dominion and eight provinces all Canadian citizens, irrespective of sex, aged 21 or over, have the right to vote. In Quebec provincial elections that right has not yet been achieved by women.

Additional to these 10 taxing bodies, Canada boasts 83 cities and 342 towns. Counties and townships run into the thousands. All exercise the right of taxation.

Edmonton Spring Show

Will Be Held In April With Change In Prize List

Dates for the Edmonton Spring Show have been set for April 6 to 9 and some of the changes in this year's prize list include a change in the age of the junior exhibitors to 15 to 20 years inclusive and age of the children exhibitors is fixed at 11 to 14 years, inclusive. In the beef cattle question two classes are provided, one for juniors and one for children, with the weight limit fixed at 850 pounds and the prize feeding requirement eliminated. There are also two classes in the dairy calf section. In foals there is a class for thoroughbred foals and also one for standard-bred. There are two new continuation classes, one for light foals and one for heavy foals. These classes are open only to exhibitors who showed the foals in the 1935 Spring Show. Prize money has been increased in many of the horse classes, in the group and carlot cattle classes, and weights in the single cattle classes are for animals weighing 900 pounds or under; 900 pounds to 1,050; 1,050 to 1,200 pounds; and over 1,200 pounds.

First Exhibit Arrives

Covered Wagon Reaches Johannesburg Well Ahead Of Time

Nearly a year ahead of time, the first exhibit for the Empire Exhibition, to be held at Johannesburg, South Africa, from September, 1936, to January, 1937, has arrived at headquarters.

This curious development, which probably stands unique in the history of such shows, is due to an accident. A Dutch University College at the town of Potchefstroom came into possession of a covered wagon, very like those "Prairie Schooners" used by American settlers. It had survived an entire century since it helped to bring thousands of Boer Vorktrekkers, or pioneers into the wilds of South Africa, where now the flourishing gold-laden Transvaal and other provinces exist.

Under the terms of this venerable relic, the Council of the Potchefstroom University College sent it to the Empire Exhibition, which promptly accepted this item for its Transportation Section.

Canadian Bacon

First and second prizes were won by Canadian bacon in the competition for bacon produced in the British Empire at the recent 57th annual dairy show held in London, England. In addition a considerable number of trade inquiries have been received from individuals and firms interested in the other Canadian products displayed—chilled poultry, butter, eggs, hams, milk powder, jelly powder and other commodities.

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Local Hockey

(Continued from Page One)

the face-off, the locals kept on trying without results until the final session when they were rewarded for their fighting spirit by 4 goals to win 6-5. Pettit got Lacombe's only tally and 2 by Camrose in the first period. S. Todd found the for Lacombe against 3 goals by Camrose to make it 5-2

for the home team at the end of the second period. Pears started the goal scoring parade after ten minutes play in the final session to be closely followed by Costigan. Penman then got the equalizer and cheers from Lacombe, and Brooks on a great solo effort banged home the winning goal with only six seconds to go winning the game for Lacombe six to five.

To Meet Wetaskiwin
In a brilliant finish, by winning

the last two games of the league schedule the Lacombe Hockey team will meet Wetaskiwin at the arena rink next Saturday night, in the semi-finals, and Stettler will meet Camrose.

Home and home games will be played by these teams, and total goals will count to decide the winner. In the finals the best two out of three games will crown the champion of the Central Alberta Hockey League, and the way the local boys are travelling just now, their chances of coping the honor look bright.

Point Makers
The leading point makers of the Central Alberta League just concluded, show Spencer of Wetaskiwin as the outstanding sharpshooter of the season, having scored a total of 21 goals, with 9 assists, for a total of 30 points. Penman, our local best player, has scored 16 goals, with 16 assists and 11 goals being the leading scorers of the season.

The leading snipers of the league follow:
Spencer (Wetaskiwin) 21 9 30
Penman (Lacombe) 16 16 32
Haverstock (Camrose) 15 12 27
Costigan (Stettler) 10 13 23
McMurdo (Wetaskiwin) 14 8 22
Weiss (Camrose) 14 8 22
Lax (Lacombe) 16 6 22
Lee (Stettler) 12 7 19
Burns (Camrose) 10 6 16
Wilson (Stettler) 10 6 16
McGregor (Lacombe) 10 5 15

Final League Standing
Gp W L D Gt Pts
Wetaskiwin 14 12 2 0 61 36 24
Stettler 14 9 4 1 75 42 19
Lacombe 14 8 6 0 61 53 16
Camrose 14 7 6 1 69 47 15
Innisfail 14 6 6 2 36 32 14
Red Deer 14 5 7 2 43 42 12
Ponoka 14 4 10 0 51 67 8
Leduc 14 2 12 0 28 99 4

Quips and Quirks

He—Darling, you are the most beautiful girl in the world; the most divine; the most adorable; the most wonderful charming creature ever made; you are superb; you are exquisite; you are marvellous; I love you, I love you; I must have you; I can't live without you; will you marry me?
She—"Who, me?"

An uninvited guest at a society function went up to the host and said, "Who is the lady with a face like a crumple?"
"That's my wife," replied the host.

"Oh, well, I shouldn't let that worry you," said the uninvited guest. "You should just see mine."

The climbers were about to tackle a difficult stretch in the Lake District. The leader, turning to the novice of the party, said, "You're green at this job, aren't you?"
"Am I?" said the beginner, with a glance at the rock-face. "I feel pure white."

Man (employed by an Aberdeen): "I have been here ten years, sir, doing three men's work for one man's pay, and now I want a rise."
Employer: "I canna gie ye that, but if ye tell me the names of the other two men I'll sack 'em."

A chorus girl introduced her young man to another chorus girl.

WE BUY
Hides, Horse Hair and Furs, and pay good prices, also for all farm produce. We are agents for the New York Fur Co.
CITY MEAT MARKET

JOHN MORTER DIES AGED 82 YEARS

Another respected old-timer of the district passed on when John Morter died at his residence in Lacombe on Sunday last, at the ripe age of 82 years. He was born in Wisconsin in 1854 of English parentage, and came to this district to file on a homestead in 1890. Going back to Nebraska after, he moved his family here in the spring of the following year and became one of the first to bring a horse power threshing outfit to this locality, which he operated successfully, and never missed one year's threshing until 1917, when he sold the outfit. His homestead was in the Iowa district, and in 1910 he sold out there, and moved to Spring Valley, where he farmed until 1918, when he sold that farm and spent several months in California. In the spring of 1919 he returned and located in the Brookley district, living there until 1922, when he purchased a farm at Leduc, and lived there until February of last year, when he moved to Lacombe and retired.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Nancy E. Morter, aged six boys and three girls: Mrs. A. M. Wolfe, of Santa Rosa, Calif.; Mrs. B. F. Butcher, Mrs. Byron Butcher and Mrs. A. E. Wilson, all of Lacombe; Chas. of Santa Rosa, Calif.; Leonard of Kerman, Calif.; Stephen of Pine River, Wis.; Emory of Calgary, Lloyd and Milton of Lacombe.

Funeral services conducted by Eureka Masonic Lodge No. 10 were held from St. Andrews United on Tuesday afternoon, the Rev. R. B. Layton officiating. Much sympathy is felt throughout the district for the bereaved family.

with the result that he transferred his affections. The aggrieved girl gave her rival a piece of her mind in a letter which read: "You Heartless Creature—You knew very well we had been going about together for six months. Wait till I lay my hands on you, you good-for-nothing bleached blonde. I'll scratch your face, pull your hair and throw acid on you. Yours truly, C. N."
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